



BYLAWS
NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PARENT TEACHER-ASSOCIATION
ELDRIDGE, IOWA

*ARTICLE I: Name

The name of this association shall be the North Scott Community School District # 3 Parent-Teacher Association, Eldridge, a local unit of the Iowa branch of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

*ARTICLE II: Objects

The Objects of the North Scott Community School District Area # 3 Parent-Teacher Association shall be;

To promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, church and community.

To raise the standards of home life.

To secure adequate laws for the care and protection of children and youth.

To bring into closer relation the home and the school, that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the training of the child.

To develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for every child the highest advantages in physical, mental, social, and spiritual education.

*ARTICLE III: Basic Policies

Section 1. The Objects of the National Congress shall be promoted through an educational program directed toward parents, teachers, and the general public; shall be developed through conferences, committees, and projects; and shall be governed and qualified by the basic policies set forth in this Article.

Section 2. This association shall be noncommercial, nonsectarian, and non-partisan. It shall not endorse a commercial enterprise or a candidate. The name of the association or the names of any members in their official capacities shall not be used in any connection with a commercial concern or with any partisan interest, or for any other purpose than the regular work of the association.

Section 3. This association shall not --- directly or indirectly --- participate or intervene (in any way, including the publishing or distribution of statements) in any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to, any candidate for public office; or devote more than an insubstantial part of its activities to attempting to influence legislation by propaganda or otherwise.

Section 4. This association shall seek neither to direct the administrative activities of the school nor to control its policies.

Section 5. This association may cooperate with other organizations and agencies active in child welfare, such as conference groups or coordinating councils, provided its representative makes no commitments that bind the group he represents.

Section 6. In the event of dissolution of this association, the assets of the organization shall be distributed for one or more of the exempt purposes specified in section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 as from time to time amended.

* ARTICLE IV: Membership and Dues

Section 1. Any person interested in the Objects of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers who is willing to uphold its basic policies and subscribe to its Bylaws may become a member upon payment of dues, as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. The annual dues shall be all-inclusive, for membership in the National Congress, the state branch, and the local Congress unit, and shall amount to fifty (50) cents per member. The annual local portion, fifteen (15) cents per capita. The annual national portion, five (5) cents per capita, and the annual state portion, thirty (30) cents per capita, shall be paid by the treasurer of the association to the treasurer of the state branch through such channels and at such time as the state bylaws provide.

Section 3. The record of the national and state portions of the membership dues shall be kept by the local treasurer separate from the record of the general funds of the local unit.

Section 4. An annual enrollment of members shall be conducted. Additional members may be accepted at any time.

Section 5. Only members of this unit shall be eligible to participate in its business meeting, or to serve in any of its elective or appointive positions.

*ARTICLE V: Officers and Their Election

Section 1. a. The officers of this association shall be a president, one vice-president, a secretary, and a treasurer.

b. Officers shall be elected by ballot annually in the month of April. However, if there is but one nominee for any office, it shall be in order to move that the secretary cast the elective ballot of the association for the nominee.

c. Officers shall assume their official duties at the close of the annual meeting in May and shall serve for a term of one (1) year and/ or until their successors are elected.

d. A person shall not be eligible to serve more than two consecutive terms in the same office.

Section 2.

a. There shall be a nominating committee consisting of three members. one of whom shall be selected by the executive committee from its body, and two elected by the association at a regular meeting at least one month prior to the election. The person receiving the highest number of votes by the association shall serve as chairman.

- b. The nominating committee shall select one nominee for each office to be filled and report at the meeting in April.
- c. Following the report of the nominating committee, an opportunity shall be given for nominations from the floor.
- d. Only those who have consented to serve if elected shall be eligible for nomination, either by the committee or from the floor.
- e. In a meeting to organize a new PTA, the nominating committee of three members shall be selected in the manner decided by a majority vote of the members voting. This committee shall then retire and select a slate of nominees, secure their consent, and report to the assembly.

Section 3. A vacancy occurring in any office shall be filled for the unexpired term by a person elected by a majority vote of the remaining members of the executive committee, notice of such election having been given. In case a vacancy occurs in the office of president, the first vice president shall serve notice of the election.

ARTICLE VI: Duties of Officers

Section 1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the association and of the executive committee; shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed in these bylaws or assigned to him by the association or by the executive committee; and shall coordinate the work of the officers and committees, in order that the Objects may be promoted.

Section 2. The Vice-president shall act as aide to the president and shall, in their designated order, perform the duties of the president in the absence or inability of that officer to serve.

Section 3. The secretary shall record the minutes of all meeting of the association and of the executive committee and shall perform such other duties as may be delegated to him.

Section 4. The treasurer shall receive all moneys of the association; shall keep an accurate record of receipts and expenditures; and shall pay out local funds in accordance with the approved budget as authorized by the association. The treasurer shall present a financial statement at every meeting of the association and at other times when requested by the executive committee and shall make a full report at the annual meeting.

The treasurer shall keep the record of the national and state portions of the membership dues separate from the record of the general funds of the local unit, as provided in these bylaws, Article IV, Section 3. He shall forward national and state moneys to the state treasurer at such times and through such channels as the state bylaws provide.

The treasurer's accounts shall be examined annually by an auditor or an auditing committee of not less than three members, who, satisfied that the treasurer's annual report is correct, shall sign a statement of that fact at the end of the report. The auditing committee shall be appointed by the executive committee at least two weeks before the annual meeting.

Section 5. All officers shall:

- a. Perform the duties prescribed in the parliamentary authority in addition to those outlined in these bylaws and those assigned from time to time.
- b. Deliver to their successors all official material within ten days after the meeting at which the successors are elected.

ARTICLE VII: Meetings

Section 1. Regular meetings of this association shall be held at 8:00 p.m., on the third Tuesday of every month of the school year, unless otherwise provided by the association, or by the executive committee. Seven days notice shall be given by change of date or time.

Section 2. Special meetings may be called by the executive committee, seven days' notice having been given.

Section 3. The annual meeting shall be in May.

Section 4. If the membership is twenty or less, six members shall constitute a quorum. If it is more than twenty, one-fifth of the membership shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business in any meeting of this association.

Section 5. The privilege of holding office, introducing motions, debating, and voting shall be limited to members of the association whose current dues are paid.

ARTICLE VIII: Executive Committee

Section 1. The executive committee shall consist of the officers of the association, the chairmen of standing committees, and the principal of the school or a representative appointed by him. The chairmen of the standing committees shall be selected by the officers of the association and the principal of the school or his representative. The members of the executive committee shall serve until their successors are elected.

Section 2. The duties of the executive committee shall be (a) to transact necessary business in the intervals between association meetings and such other business as may be referred to it by the association; (b) to create standing committees; (c) to approve the plans of work of the standing committees; (d) to present a report at the regular meetings of the association; (e) to appoint an auditor or an auditing committee at least two weeks before the annual meeting to audit the treasurer's accounts; (f) to prepare and submit to the association for approval a budget for the fiscal year; and (g) to approve routine bills within the limits of the budget.

Section 3. Regular meetings of the executive committee shall be held monthly during the school year, the time to be fixed by the committee at its first meeting of the year. A majority of the executive committee members shall constitute a quorum. Special meetings of the executive committee may be called by the president or by a majority of the members of the committee.

ARTICLE IX: Standing and Special Committees

Section 1. Such standing committees shall be created by the executive committee as deemed necessary to promote the Objects and carry on the work of the association. The term of the chairman shall be one year.

Section 2. The chairman of each standing committee shall present a plan of work to the executive committee for approval. No committee work shall be undertaken without the consent of the executive committee.

Section 3. The power to form special committees and appoint their members rests with the association (unless bylaws make other provisions or unless this power is delegated by the association to the executive committee or the president).

Section 4. The president shall be ex officio a member of all committees except the nominating committee.

ARTICLE X: Council Membership

Section 1.

a. This association shall be represented in meeting so the Scott County Council of Parent-Teacher Associations by its president or his alternate, the principal or his alternate, and by two (2) delegates or their alternates.

b. Delegates and their alternates shall be chosen by the executive committee in May.

c. Delegates to the Scott County Council of Parent-Teacher Associations shall serve for a term of one (1) year.

Section 2. This association shall pay annual dues of \$10.00 to the Scott County Council of Parent-Teacher Associations, as provided in the council's bylaws.

ARTICLE XI: Parliamentary Authority

Robert's Rules of Order Revised shall govern this association in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not in conflict with these bylaws and those of the state branch and the National Congress.

ARTICLE XII: Articles of Organization

The bylaws of this organization shall be deemed to be part of its articles of organization.

ARTICLE XIII: Amendments

Section 1.

a. These bylaws may be amended at any regular meeting of the association by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, provided notice of the proposed amendment shall have been given at the previous meeting, and provided the amendment is not in conflict with the required articles prescribed in the bylaws of the state congress and the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

b. A committee may be appointed to submit a revised set of bylaws as a substitute for these bylaws only by a majority vote at a meeting of the association, or by a two-thirds vote of the executive committee. The procedure for action on amendments in Section I, (a), should then be followed.

c. After approval by a two-thirds vote at a meeting of the association, at least two copies of all amendments shall be sent for approval to the person or persons designated by the state congress of parents and teachers.

Section 2. The adoption by the National convention of an amendment to articles and sections bearing a star in this association's bylaws shall automatically amend such bylaws to conform to the action taken.

The original was approved: August 18, 1965 by Mrs. Sherman B. Watson, member of Bylaws committee.

BOOK COVERS: September 1965 to March 1966

TYPE OF SCHOOL: Elementary --One Room Schools and Multi Room Schools.

Fourteen classrooms and fourteen Teachers . 430 Pupils.

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEEN P. T. A. MEMBERSHIPS

PUBLICITY FACILITIES * THE DE WITT OBSERVER
THE DAVENPORT TIMES AND DEMOCRAT
THE LANCE -NORTH SCOTT SCHOOL PAPER

BUDGET 1965-1966
AREA #3 P.T.A.

EXPENDITURES:

Parent Education -----	\$ 10.00
Secretary and Treasurer Expense -----	5.00
Program Committee -----	10.00
Hospitality -----	7.50
Scott County Council Dues -----	10.00
Supplies for Teachers -----	90.00
Delegate Expenses -----	50.00
Historian -----	5.00
Student Loan Fund -----	10.00
Publication -----	10.00
Membership -----	20.00
Miscellaneous -----	25.00
Anticipated State P.T.A. Dues -----	42.00
Total -----	\$ 294.50

RECEIPTS:

Cash on hand -----	\$ 166.39
Anticipated Dues -----	60.00
Fund Raising -----	68.11
Total -----	\$ 294.50





P.T.A. OFFICERS

Mrs. Chris Kohn
391-1674

President

Vice President AREA # 3 P.T.A.

285-4534

Secretary

Mrs. Wayne Jagel
295-2066

Treasurer

All P.T.A. meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of every month at 8 p.m. in the North Scott High School Cafeteria.

Mrs. Eugene Beckus
391-1670

Advisory to the Board

Mrs. and Marjory
391-1670

Faculty Advisor

Grand Mound V17-5015

Parent Education meetings are held the fourth Tuesday of every month in the Home Economics Room at the North Scott High School.

Chris Vollbeer
391-5557

Member

Mrs. Jack Paaske
285-4662

Magazine

THE 1965-1966 P.T.A. OFFICERS OF NORTH SCOTT AREA #3



Bowman

Blake

Jugenheimer

Higby

PRESIDENT	-----	Mrs. Chris Blake
VICE PRESIDENT	-----	Mrs. Ronald Bowman
SECRETARY	-----	Mrs. Wayne Jugenheimer
TREASURER	-----	Mrs. Wayne Higby

EXECUTIVE BOARD 1965-1966 NORTH SCOTT AREA # 3 P.T.A.

PRESIDENT	Mrs. Chris Blake
VICE PRESIDENT	Mrs. Ronald Bowman
SECRETARY	Mrs. Wayne Jugenheimer
TREASURER	Mrs. Wayne Higby
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PARENT EDUCATION	Mrs. Malvern Kirby
HEALTH	Mrs. Eugene Staggs
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HISTORIAN	Mrs. Louis Gruenhagen
LEGISLATION	Mrs. William Keppy

ROOM REPRESENTATIVES FOR 1965-1966

Kindergarten A.M.

Miss Kube ----- Mrs. Hans Brodersen
Mrs. Joseph VanDe Weile

Kindergarten P.M.

Miss Kube ----- Mrs. Gerald Marten
Mrs. Billy Mangels

KINDERGARTEN A.M.

Miss Nighday ----- Mrs. Edward Boll
Mrs. Fred Jansen
Mrs. Larry Nagle

Kindergarten P.M.

Miss Nighday ----- Mrs. Francis De Schepper
Mrs. John Dierickx

First Grade

Mrs. Steffen ----- Mrs. Harold Feldpausch
Mrs. Ernest Jansen

First Grade

Mrs. Reilly ----- Mrs. Walter Glunz
Mrs. Wayne Waetke

First Grade

Mrs. Kroeger ----- Mrs. Richard Synders
Mrs. Donald Rathjen

Second Grade

Mrs. McGrath ----- Mrs. Milton Dreter
Mrs. Marvin Carlson

Third Grade

Mrs. Keppy ----- Mrs. Robert Wallace
Mrs. Don Baustian

Third Grade

Mrs. Taber ----- Mrs. Eugene Green
Mrs. Harold Grimm

Third Grade

Mrs. Hitchcock ----- Mrs. Richard Mardis
Mrs. Donald Grant

ROOM REPRESENTATIVES (continued)

Fourth Grade

Mrs. Carlin ----- Mrs. Robert Marti
Mrs. Walter Hamann

Fourth Grade

Mrs. Sprosty ----- Mrs. Paul Maiden
Mrs. Loren Dalton

Fifth Grade

Miss Marolf ----- Mrs. George Spies
Mrs. Ray Muhs, Jr.

Sixth Grade

Mrs. Pancratz ----- Mrs. Reldo Kroeger
Mrs. John Hardy

Sixth Grade

Mrs. Steffen ----- Mrs. Eldon Gries
Mrs. Rollin Oliver

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1965-66 AREA # 3

Vice President -----Mrs. Ronald Bowman

At our first meeting of the year, held in September, we had on our program a panel. It consisted of Mrs. Russell Claussen, a bus driver; Mr. Henrichs, Director of Elementary Education; and Mr. Ray Porter, a School Board member. The discussion centered mainly on behavior of students on the buses.

In October, we had our first joint meeting of all areas and high school. Mr. Robert Fisk of the Church of Christ in Davenport, was our speaker on Citizens for Decent Literature. This was one of our most outstanding programs.

In November, Lois Staker of the County School Office showed slides and spoke of her trip to Russia. Everyone in attendance seemed to enjoy this very much.

The December meeting was another joint meeting with all areas. It was a panel on "Your Child's Capabilities and Skills." This was presented by Mrs. Berthrong, Mr. Fuhs, Mr. Banks and Mrs. Thiede with Mr. Don Bloss as moderator. This was truly very interesting because of the different grade levels it covered.

In January we were going to vote to disband, but did not have enough members present to do so. Mr. Henry Newman, a lawyer from Davenport was our speaker.

Our February meeting, Miss Suzanne Voelkers, showed slides and spoke of the girl Scout Roundup in Idaho that she attended. Mr. Henricks spoke on the Remedial Reading program that has now been started in our area.

Respectfully submitted
By Mrs. Ronald Bowman

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1965-66 AREA # 3

Membership ----- Mrs. Chris Vollbeer

The membership committee of North Scott Area # 3 P.T.A. for the school year was composed of Mrs. Chris Vollbeer, Chairman; and Mrs. Alvin Missfeldt, Co-Chairman. As an attendance incentive for the year, they chose to present a game or classroom material valued at \$3.00 to the classroom having the greatest percentage of parents present at each of the meetings. As each parent entered the meeting they registered on the sheet designated for each classroom their children attended. Percentages were figured and at the end of the meeting it was announced which classroom would receive the prize.

Of the 16 classrooms the following received the award;

- Mrs. Niday's kindergarten
- Miss Kube's kindergarten
- Mrs. Hitchcock's 3rd grade
- Mrs. Carlin's 4th grade

The total membership for the year was 114; which includes 87 women, 13 men, and all 14 of the teachers.

Respectfully submitted
by Mrs. Chris Vollbeer

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1965-1966 AREA # 3

Hospitality Chairman ----- Mrs. Dwain Swanson

During the past year one of our main objectives was to get our parents and teachers better acquainted by having mixers during the social hour after our P.T.A. meeting. This way our newcomers also felt at ease by joining in with the old members.

For our September meeting we made small corsages from flowers out of our gardens for the teachers and our Elementary Director. This year we also had two P.T.A. members greet the parents and teachers at the door and direct the newcomers to our meeting place and answer any questions that were asked.

Each month we select several parents from one grade to serve on the refreshment committee and the children in this certain class make the name tags for the P.T.A. meeting. They make two kinds, one for the parents and a different kind for the teachers. The name tags each represented the seasons of the year, holidays or coincided with our program.

As our different areas were disband in March, we did not have our usual appreciation gift to the teachers or to the office help who always have been so faithful to help us whenever we needed them.

Respectfully submitted
by Mrs. Dwain Swanson

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1965-1966 AREA # 3

Health Chairman -----Mrs. Eugene Staggs

The annual Kindergarten Summer Round-up was held in the Eldridge Elementary School building, April 4, 1966. This years' round-up was an all day session from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Since last year it was held in the Eldridge Lutheran Church, everyone concerned thought it would be nice to have it right in the rooms and classes the children may be entering next fall. In this way the children got more of an idea what is in the rooms and where they are located. Also this gave them a more infomal opportunity to meet the teachers who will be teaching kindergarten next fall.

This years' registration was approximately 90 children. A snack was served, which consisted of milk, coffee and cookies for the children who registered and their parents. There were also Indian head-bands with feathers, balloons and pencils for all children. There was also an interesting brochure furnished by the Scott County Superintendt office for the parents. I am sure a nice time was had by all.

The ladies that helped me make this round-up day possible with their willful help were: Mrs. Ron Ruefer, a teacher's assistant, and Mrs. Helen Albrecht, who helped in Mrs. Jane Niday's room; and Mrs. Dan Meador, who helped in Miss Kube's room; also Mr. Ronald Hinricks, Director of Elementary Education, and Mrs. Phylis Lensch, the nurse at the Elementary School. I would like to thank all these people who made Summer Round-up 1966 a very successful and enjoyable day.

Respectfully submitted
by Mrs. Eugene Staggs

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1965-66 AREA # 3
Magazine Chairman -----Mrs. Jack Paaske

Displays were set up at our area meetings to encourage our members to subscribe to the National Parent Teacher magazine. Only 17 subscriptions were taken out, but it is hoped that in the coming year we will be able to interest more families in this interesting and informative magazine.

Respectfully submitted
By Mrs. Jack Paaske

PTA Schedules Workshop For Friday Afternoon

Sept. 2, 1965

An afternoon workshop is scheduled by District Six, Parent-Teacher's Association Friday at Faith Lutheran Church, Eldridge, from 1 to 3 (DST).

Departmental sessions will be conducted by Mrs. H. L. Taylor, executive secretary, Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers; Mrs. Glen Stiles, district president; Mrs. Grover Barker, district secretary; Mrs. Ralph C. West, state legislation chairman; Mrs. Henry Swenty, state membership chairman; Mrs. William Moskowitz, Davenport council program chairman; Mrs. Max Lyons and Mrs. Aaron Hein, representatives of District Six and Scott County Council.

The meeting will be attended by all officers and committee chairmen.



Area # 3 Hostess

Nov. 4, 1965

PTA Council To Convene Thursday

The Scott County Council of the Parent Teacher's Association convenes Thursday with registration beginning at 9:15 a.m. in Riverdale School.

Mrs. Wendell Rensink, Dixon, will conduct a workshop on publicity and publications information will be discussed by Mrs. C. E. Simonton. The morning session will be concluded with a talk on "School Highlights" by County Superintendent, Louis Pickett.

The afternoon session at 1 o'clock will be on school legislation with Sen. Jack Schroeder and Rep. Jack Resnick.

Wanda Gruenhagen
North Scott # 3

Historian Workshop



Steve Abney



NORTH SCOTT AREA # 3 P. T. A. NOTICE

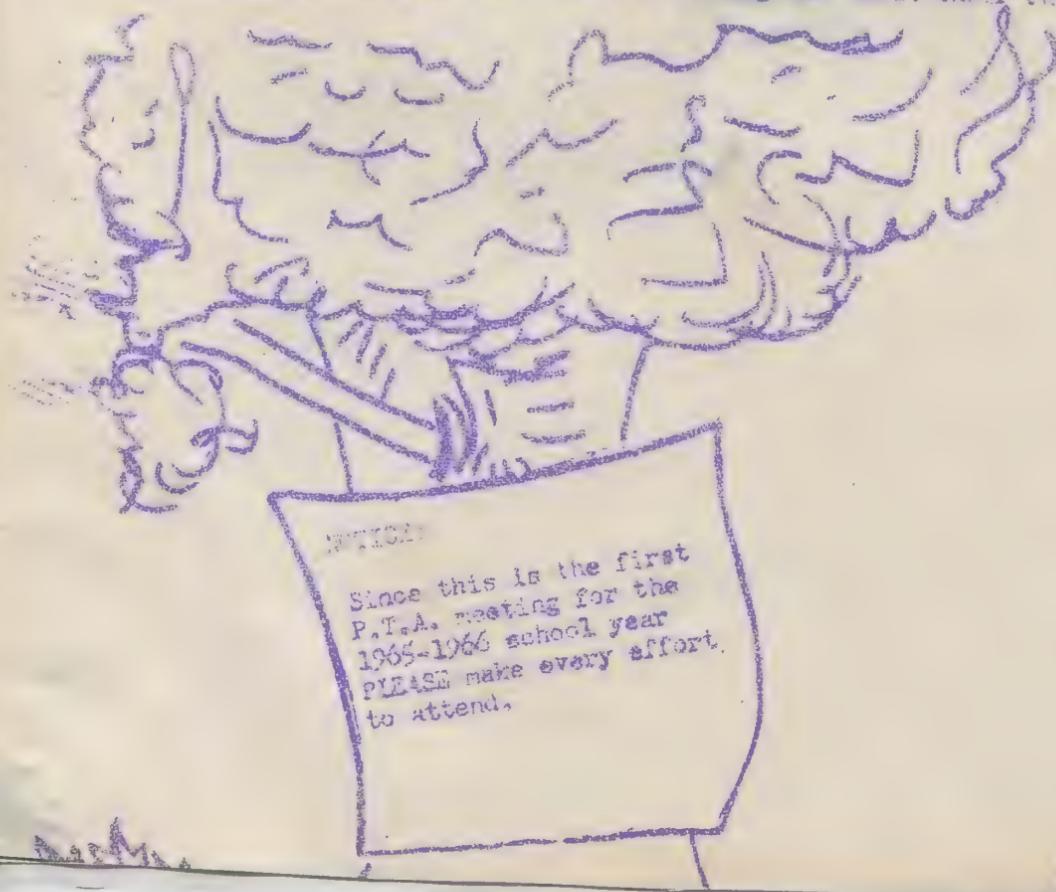
Area # 3 will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, September 21, at 8:00 P. M. in the high school cafeteria. Everyone is urged to attend this first meeting to find out the plans and aims of the future of P.T.A. in North Scott.

In our program we will have the new room mothers introduce our teachers. Mr. Hinrichs, Director of Elementary Education; Mr. Ray Kiever, a bus driver; and Mr. Ray Porter, a board member will try to answer any questions you might have concerning your child or school.

So, bring your problems or questions and join your friends and neighbors at P.T.A. on Tuesday evening, September 21st. Refreshments will be served.

Executive Board meeting preceding the regular meeting at 7:00. Try to be on time as there is a lot of business to be discussed.

Parent Education will meet on Tuesday, September 23rd, at 7:30 in the teacher's lounge. This is a discussion group with a new topic each month. There is no business meeting to interfere with the discussion. All parents should attend to express their view and learn something new about their children.



NOTICE

Since this is the first P.T.A. meeting for the 1965-1966 school year PLEASE make every effort to attend.

SEPTEMBER 1965

PTA Units Decide To Meet Jointly This Year; Panels, Discussions On Tap For Programs

All area and high school P.T.A. units met recently to discuss plans to reorganize. Presidents and vice-presidents of the existing units were present and after some discussion decided to meet jointly every month this year.

Melvin Heiler, North Scott school superintendent, and Ronald Hinrichs, elementary supervisor, were also present and agreed the organization could be stronger by uniting. Area changes and pupils attending different area schools from the same family brought on the need for a change.

This year will be a planning year and reorganization will take place to prepare for the new elementary school system. Each unit will have to vote to disband before plans can be made to reorganize.

The first combined meeting will be held October 19. All area and high school units will meet at the high school for separate business meetings to be held in various rooms at 7:30 p.m. and then will meet jointly at 8 p.m. for the program, "Citizens for Decent Lit-

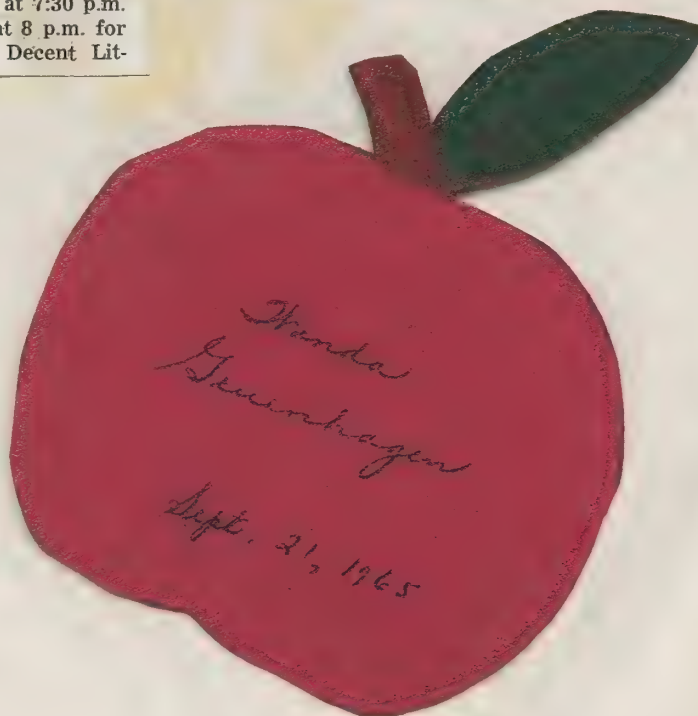
erature" by Margaret Paul.

The high school P.T.A. will be host to all units, December 6. Joint sessions will meet to hear a panel discuss "Counsel on Careers." Panelists will include Donald Bloss of Davenport, Mrs. Amelia Thiede, Francis Fuhs, and William Banks all North Scott guidance counselors, and Frank Vance of the county office. Selections by the music department will also be performed.

On February 28 a panel of young people who attended the 4-H Citizenship Short Course at Washington D. C. will discuss their experiences. The architects who are planning the new school buildings will also show completed plans at this meeting.

The topic of the April 13 meeting will be "Morality in Government" by Roger Jepsen.

Highlighting the May meeting will be the installation of officers.





COMBINED MEETING OF NORTH SCOTT P.T.A.'s

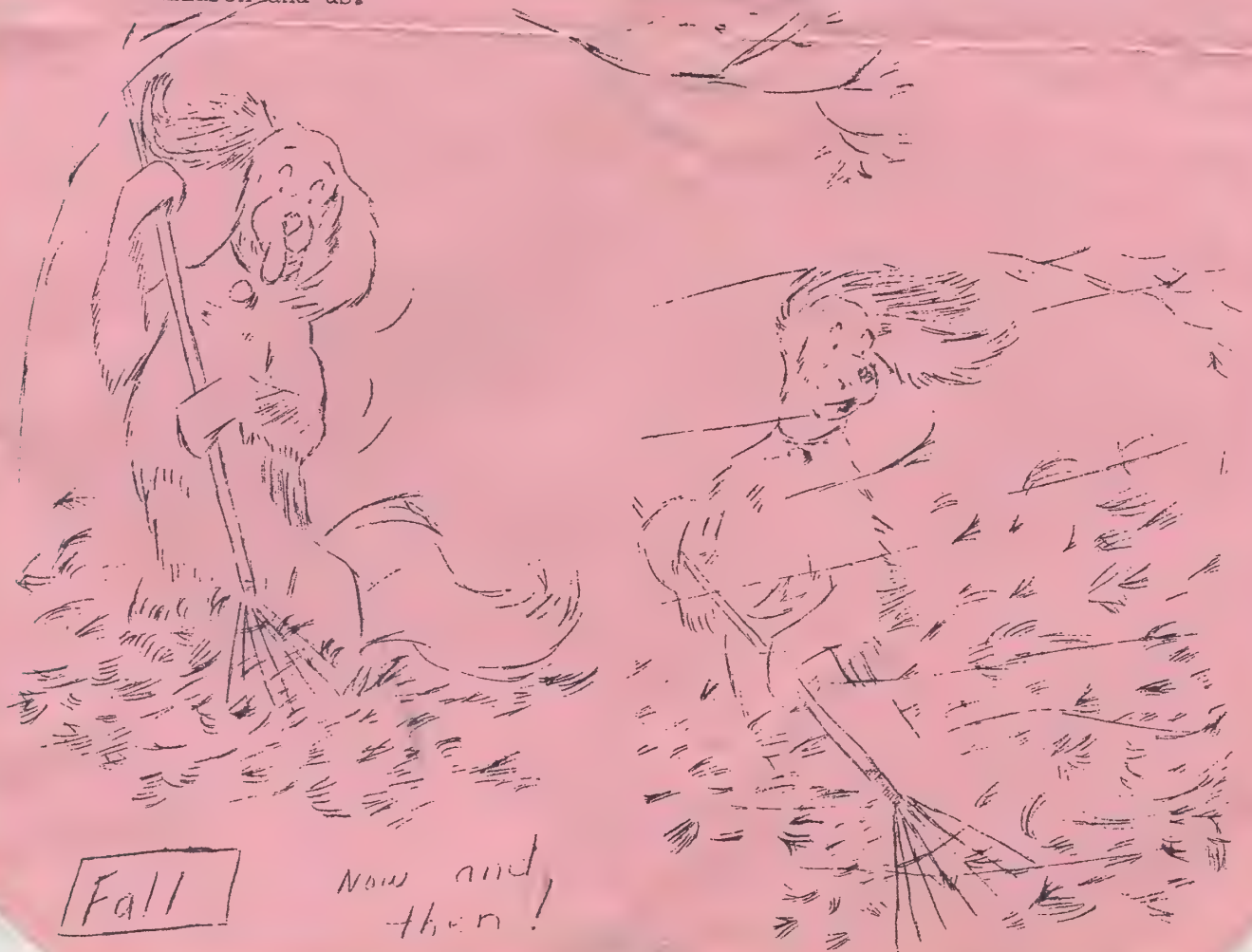


All area's and High School will meet for their first combined meeting of the year on Tuesday, October 19th.



Each area will have a 30 minute individual meeting at 7:30 prior to the combined meeting. High School will meet in the cafeteria; Area I in Study Hall B-2; Area II in Study Hall B-5; Area III in the Gymnasium; and Area IV will have No Meeting.

At 8:00 everyone meets in the cafeteria to hear Mr. Robert Fisk of the Davenport Church of Christ and representatives of The Citizens for Decent Literature and Motion Pictures discuss this most interesting and timely subject. No parent should miss hearing this interesting program. Both of these media of entertainment affect the lives of our children and us.



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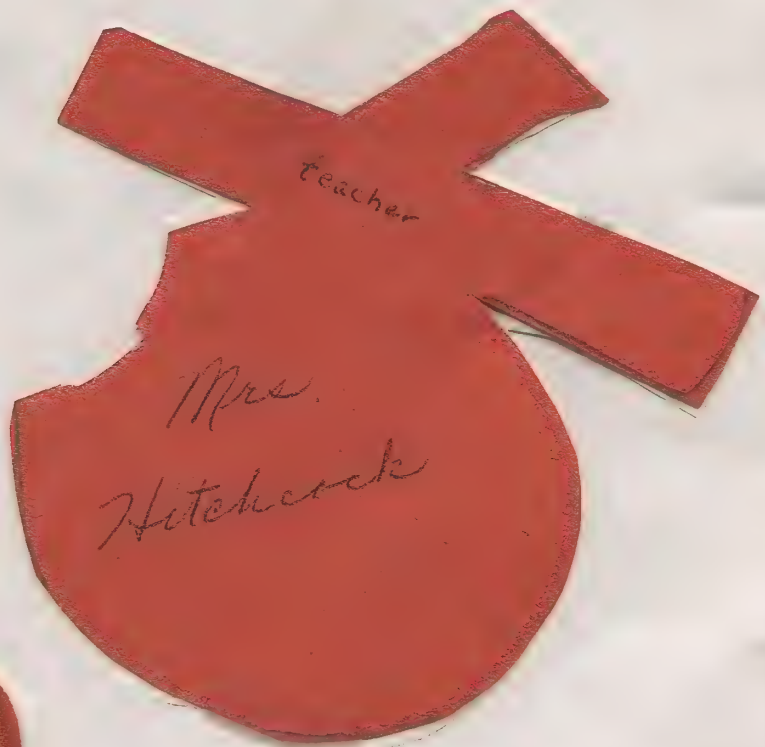
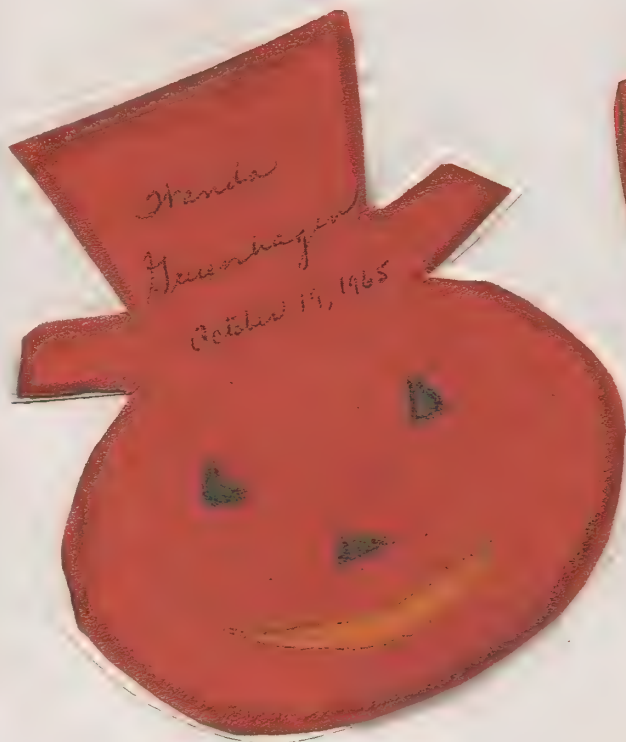
Now and
then!

For PTA Units Joint Meeting

ELDRIDGE — All North Scott Areas and the Junior-Senior High School PTA units will meet jointly at the high school on Tuesday, Oct. 19 at 7:30 p.m. Area units will hold separate business meetings, then will meet jointly at 8 p.m. for the program which will be "Citizens for Decent Literature and Motion Pictures". Speaker will be Mr. Robert Fisk of the Church of Christ, Davenport. Representatives of the Citizens for Decent Literature and Motion Pictures, Inc. will also attend the meeting.



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LEGION OF DECENCY:

- A-1—Unobjectionable for General Patronage
A-2—Unobjectionable for Adolescents and Adults
A-3—Unobjectionable for Adults
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B Objectionable in part for all
C Condemned

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AREA III P.T.A.

Area III will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday evening November 16 at 8:00 P.M. in the Cafeteria.

Mr. Newman will be unable to speak on Patriotism until January.

In his place Lois Staker will tell of her trip to Russia and show slides.

PLEASE TRY TO ATTEND!!!!

Executive Board meeting prior to the
P.T.A. meeting.



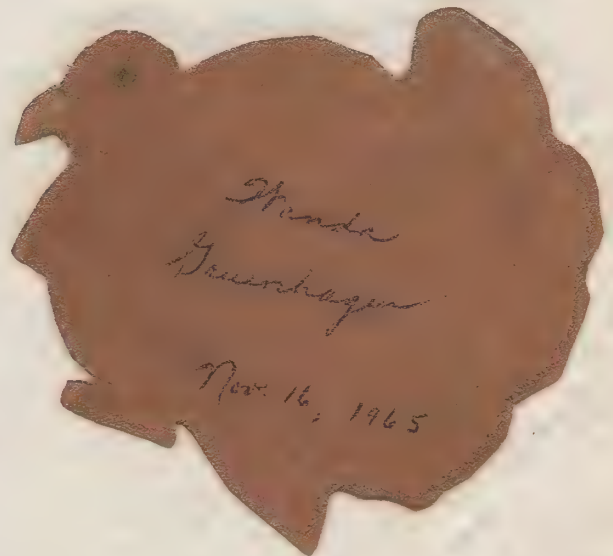
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Assisted by Bertha Graff

Miss Lois Staker



NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Joint P.T.A. Meeting

December 6, 1965

If you are interested in how your child's capabilities and skills are determined, all parents and teachers are urged to come, listen and discuss with an interesting panel the topic "Counseling for Careers" on December 6, 1965 at 7:30 p.m. at the high school. Mr. Bloss of the Davenport Public Schools will moderate a panel consisting of Mr. Banks, Mrs. Thiede and Mr. Fuhs, all counselors at our high school, and Mrs. Berthrong, an elementary counselor at Pleasant Valley Township schools. Counseling is such an important part of your child's curriculum from kindergarten through grade twelve that we feel you should know what is being done to help him determine his abilities and choose his career.

This will be a joint meeting of all P.T.A.'s of the area, with the program in charge of the Junior-Senior High School. Counseling begins at an early age, and parents of all ages should be interested in this program.

We hope to see you Monday night, on December 6.

DECEMBER 1965



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Elementary Junior-Senior High PTA To Meet Jointly

A joint meeting of the elementary and junior-senior high PTA will be held December 6 at 8 p.m. in the North Scott High School cafeteria.

The junior-senior high PTA will host a program consisting of a panel discussion entitled "Counseling for Careers." Panel moderator will be Don Bloss, guidance director of Davenport public schools. Also on the panel are Frank Vance, director of special education from the county superintendent's office, and three guidance teachers from North Scott, Mrs. Amelia Thiede, Francis Fuhs, and William Banks.

IS IT TIME
FOR A
CHANGE?



March 2nd Area # 2 P.T.A. Meeting

January 18, 1960 - 5:00 P.M. in the
First School Cafeteria

This is a very important meeting. We will
vote to decide. All members are entitled to vote.
This is just one more step in becoming one P.T.A.
for all areas.

A most interesting and enlightening program
is planned with Mr. Henry Newman as our guest
speaker. Let's all make an effort to hear this
layser.

Executive Board Meeting 7:00 P.M. prior to P.T.A. Meeting.

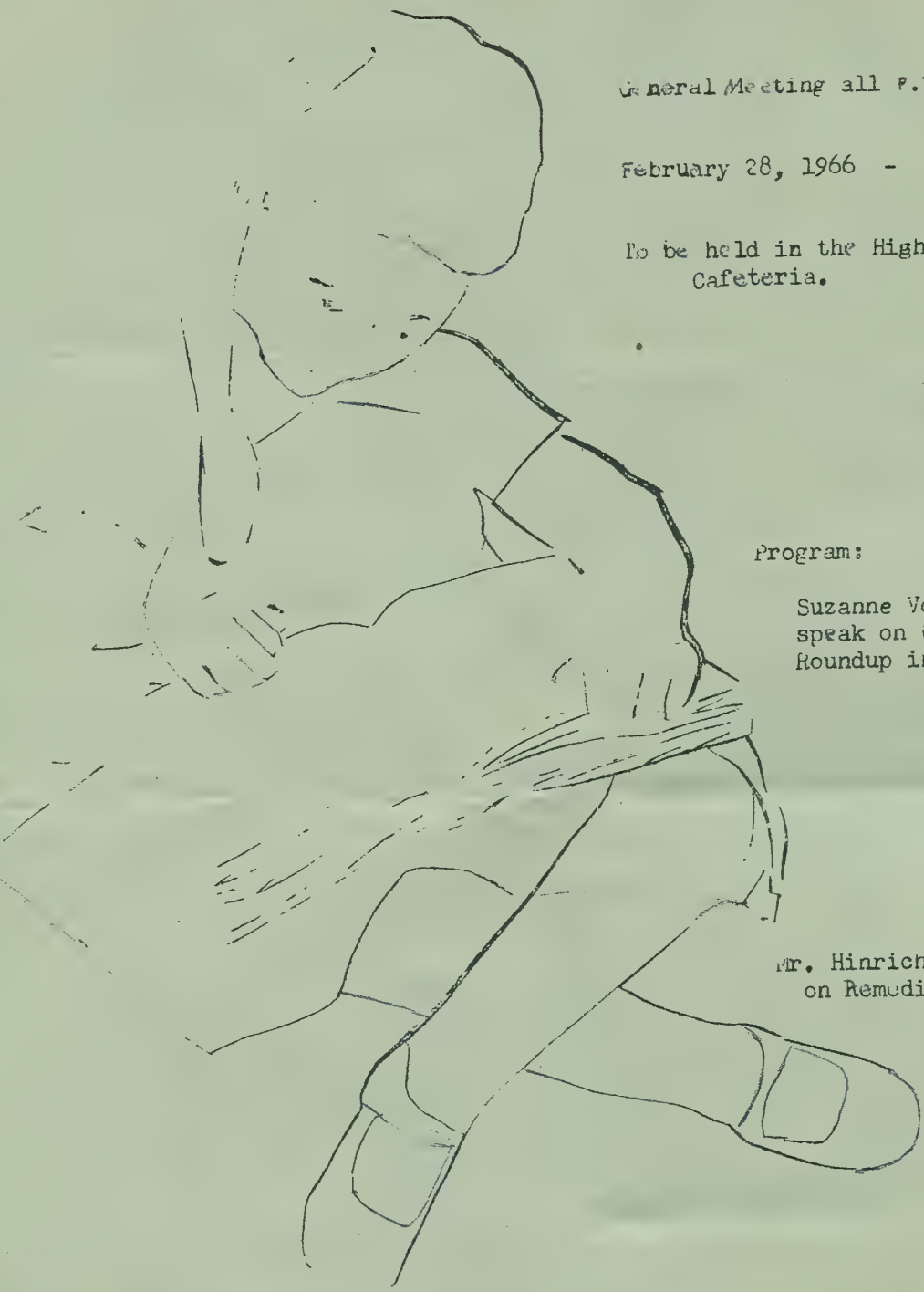
Parent Ed. will meet January 19th
at 7:00 in the home Co. room. The
discussion topic will be "The
Children Fail in School." There is
a good place to air your views on
a good subject.





MAR 1966





General Meeting all P.T. As

February 28, 1966 - 8:00 P.M.

To be held in the High School
Cafeteria.

Program:

Suzanne Voelkers will
speak on Girl Scout
Roundup in Idaho.

Mr. Hinrichs will speak
on Remedial Reading.

Area III P.T.A. will meet at 7:30 P.M. prior to general meeting to vote on
disbanding.

High School P.T.A. will meet at 7:30 P.M. prior to general meeting to vote on
disbanding.



MAR 1966

Suzanne Voelkers

Groups Disband; Will Reorganize

All four of North Scott District area's and the high school PTA organizations have disbanded and are in the process of reorganizing under one unit.

A meeting will be held at the high school on Monday, March 21, at 8 p.m. to elect a temporary chairman and secretary, and to adopt new by-laws, then recess for the enrollment of members. After all members have been enrolled the meeting will reconvene and a nominating committee will be appointed. Mrs. Glen Stiles, District Six chairman, will speak on the advantages of organizing into one unit.

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Come and Help Reorganize the North Scott Area P.T.A.

Everyone who has children attending school either at the elementary, junior or senior high school level in the North Scott district is asked to attend and help adopt our by-laws and help get this new organization off to a good start. The meeting is to be held March 21st, at 8:00 p.m. in the North Scott High School cafeteria.

Mrs. Stiles, District 6 P.T.A. president, will be at this meeting to speak. Mr. Hinrichs will give us a progress report on the new elementary schools.

This is your opportunity to organize the kind of P.T.A. you believe North Scott needs.



Dear Parents,

A bit of news we have today
A "Bakeless" bake sale is on the way.

In these busy rushing days, who wants to bake
Pies or cookies or even cake?

You'd be surprised if you counted the cost
Of materials, heat, and the time you'd lost.

Baking for sales is extra work
Yet nobody really wants to shirk.

So we've thought of a little plan, that's grand
And feel quite sure you'll understand.

In this envelope, please put the price
Of a pie or cake or something nice.

Without fuss or bother you've done your part,
We hope you'll give with a willing heart.

This is the end of our little tale
Wishing success for our "Bakeless" bake sale!

Contributions will be added to our general fund of Area # 3 P.T.A.
If we are generous with our "baking" our goals can be achieved this year.
Please return envelope with your contribution by December 10th to your
child's school.

Thank you,

The committee chairmen:
Mrs. Bill Blanche
Mrs. Harold R. Scherer
Mrs. Louis Gruenhagen

NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Elementary Newsletter

A NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS OF LITTLE PEOPLE

Vol. II, No. 1

September, 1965

Dear Parents,

School year 1965-1966 is underway. It promises to be a year of outstanding learning experiences for boys and girls. Changes and improvements in the academic program can now be aimed toward the type of program we expect to offer in the new elementary schools soon to be built.

Your child will bring home a pupil enrollment card which contains information which we would like you to verify or correct. The items which need to be verified are the spelling of the name, the phone number, the address, and the date of birth. The other blank items on the card need not be filled out.

Book rental for grades 1 through 6 is \$4.50 and for Kindergarten is \$2.25. Book rental fees should be paid to the teacher during the first week of school.

Milk is available at the school for all students. The price of milk tickets this year will remain 50¢ for 20 half-pints of milk. Milk tickets may be purchased from the teacher.

Student Accident Insurance is available for your child. Rates this year are \$2.50 for the school-time plan or \$12.00 for the full-time plan. The enrollment envelope your child will bring home will explain what is covered by each of these plans. Claims this year should be filed with the elementary secretary, Mrs. Arnita Kreiter. To complete the claim form she will need a copy of the doctor's bill and full details of how and when the accident took place.

Bus drivers have instructions not to wait for students who are late. In order for the transportation system to work smoothly, it is imperative that the busses run exactly on schedule. Once the route has been firmly established, the bus will arrive at the same time each day. To adjust for any differences between your clock and the bus driver's watch, we recommend that all children be at their designated bus stop at least five minutes before the scheduled pick-up time.

In addition to the enclosed Transportation Rules for Students, a new rule has been added this year: Pets are not permitted on school buses.

The Elementary School Office is located in the North Scott Jr.-Sr. High School Building in Eldridge. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. When you have questions about your child's education, you are urged to stop at the office or call us at Eldridge 285-9631.

Sincerely yours,

R. W. Hinrichs

R. W. Hinrichs
Director of Elementary Education

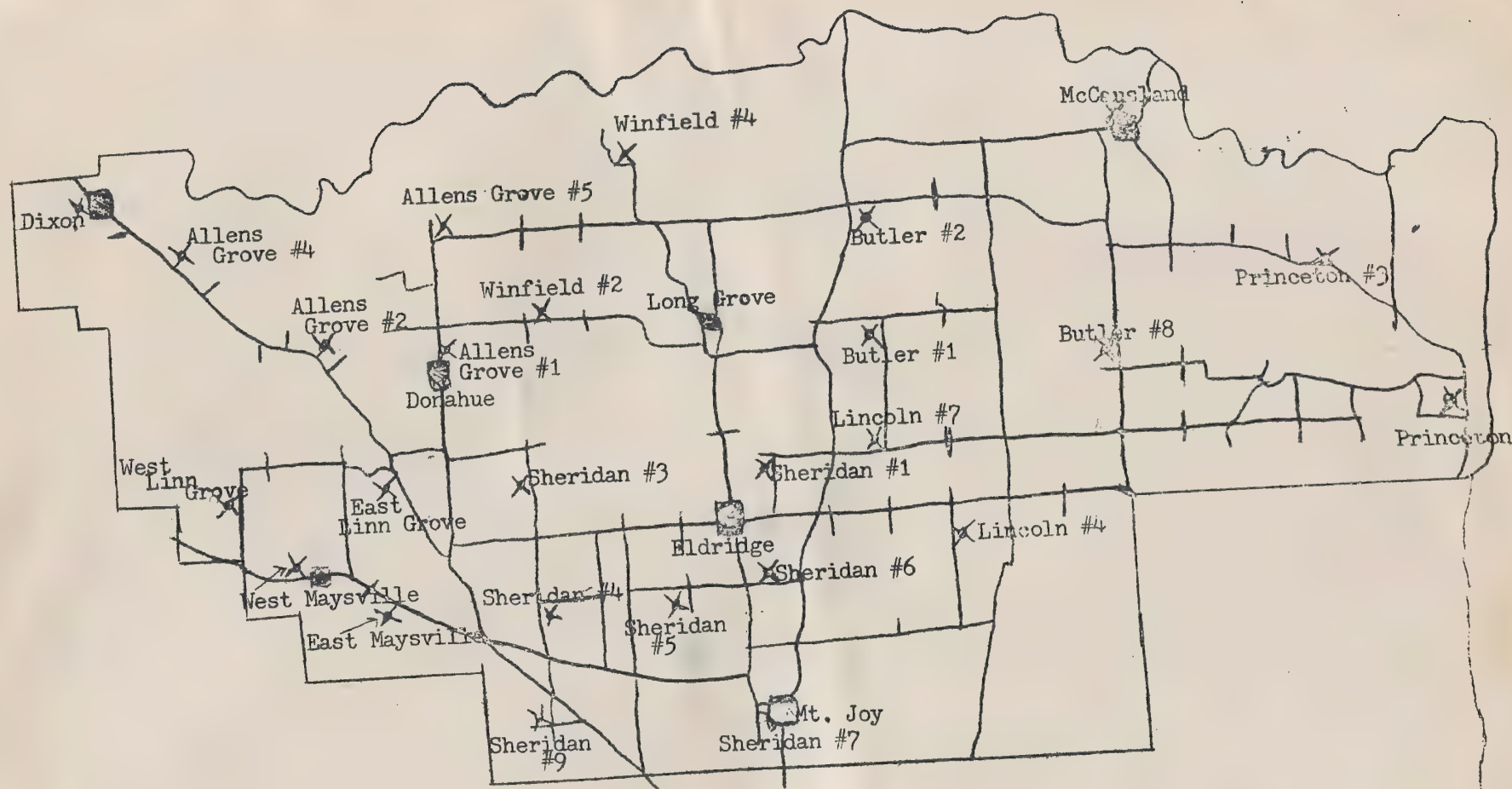
NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Transportation Rules for Students

1. Formal classroom behavior need not, of course, be required of pupils in a school bus. There are, however, certain limits within which pupil activity must be confined.
2. Enter and leave the bus, at school loading stations and at highway and road stops, in orderly fashion and in accordance with instructions, i.e. without haste and without loitering, without crowding or pushing, and with each pupil showing due regard for his own safety and the safety of others.
3. On entering the bus, go directly to a seat and remain seated until ready to leave the bus. No student will be allowed to enter the bus, or be discharged from the bus, at any place other than his or her regular loading station, or on the school property.
4. Remain quiet enough not to distract the driver -- no loud or vulgar talk.
5. Transportation equipment represents a large investment. Students must help maintain this equipment. Keep feet off seats, no roughhousing, and keep sharp objects off the upholstery.
6. Do not extend objects or parts of the body out the window. Leave windows alone, the driver will take care of the ventilation.
7. Do not throw objects within or out of the bus.
8. Do not scatter paper or other objects on floor of the bus. Keep aisles clean.
9. Follow bus drivers instructions promptly and cheerfully.
10. No smoking on school bus or other school property.
11. Be on time at bus stop and at school loading station.
12. When leaving a bus to cross a road, or when crossing a road to enter a bus, always cross in front of the bus.

The bus driver on the school bus has the same authority on the school bus a teacher has in a classroom. Students who misbehave on a school bus may have the privilege of riding the bus taken from them. If this privilege is taken away, it may be reinstated only after talking to the High School Principal, the Director of Elementary Education, or the Superintendent of Schools. Meeting with school officials does not mean the student will automatically be allowed to ride the bus.

The driver has the authority to assign seats on the bus as he deems necessary.



LOCATION OF CLASSROOMS
NORTH SCOTT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Elementary Newslines
A NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS OF LITTLE PEOPLE

Vol. II, No. 2

October, 1965

Dear Parents,

No School will be held on Friday, October 22, 1965, and school will be dismissed two hours earlier than usual on Thursday, October 21, 1965, to allow teachers to attend the annual Iowa State Education Association Convention in Des Moines. This convention gives Iowa's 30,000 teachers an opportunity to examine the newest textbooks and equipment available, and to hear and meet with outstanding educational leaders from all over the United States.

The first quarter of School Year 1965-1966 will end on Friday, November 5, 1965. Fall Parent-Teacher conferences will be scheduled during the period of November 11 through November 19. Parents who would like a conference before the regular fall conference period are invited to contact their child's teacher to arrange for an appointment. Whenever possible, conferences should be arranged for several days in advance, so the teacher will have an opportunity to accumulate all of the pertinent information he needs to have on hand for a successful conference.

A joint PTA meeting of all North Scott PTA's will be held on Tuesday, October 19, 1965, with Area III as the host unit. The program, which features representatives of the Citizens for Decent Literature, promises to be an interesting one dealing with a topic of personal concern to every parent. This joint meeting is the first of five planned for this year, the other joint meetings being scheduled for December, February, April, and May. One of the five North Scott PTA's will serve as host unit at each of the joint meetings, with the meeting to be held on the regular PTA night of the host organization.

All North Scott Elementary School classes are now using the American Book Company Modern Mathematics program. If you would like more information about this program, you are invited to contact your child's teacher. Each teacher has several copies of a booklet titled What About This Modern Mathematics Business? A Handbook for Parents, which she will be happy to lend you upon request.

Elementary School enrollment totaled 1146 on September 14, 1965, the date when official enrollment data was reported to the State Department of Public Instruction. This figure compares with an enrollment of 1104 on the last day of school last spring and 1011 on the last day of school the previous year. In less than two years, the elementary grades have gained enough additional students to equal five new classes. We have actually added only three new classes during this period. The other 55 or 56 students have been absorbed into previously existing classes by increasing class size and by achieving more equal balance in class size. Current enrollment by grades is as follows: Kindergarten -181; grade 1 -174; grade 2 -164; grade 3 -180; grade 4 -137; grade 5 -145; grade 6 -165.

Speech Therapy, for children who have handicapping speech disorders, will begin next week. Speech therapy centers will be in Princeton Primary School, McCausland Primary School, Eldridge Primary School, and in the Donahue Fire Station. Questions about your child's speech should be referred to Mr. Dick Hoskins, Speech Therapist, Office of the County Superintendent of Schools, Court House, Davenport.

Every North Scott student in grades one through six has had his hearing tested during the past two weeks. The purpose of this screening test, which is given annually, is to discover all children who are now experiencing hearing difficulty. Any student who did not pass this group screening test will be given an individual test within the next few weeks to determine the nature and severity of his hearing problem. If the hearing clinician then discovers the hearing loss is such that a doctor should be seen, he will contact the parents and recommend that they see either their family doctor or the hearing specialist of their choice. If you are not contacted by the hearing clinician, you may assume your child's hearing is normal at this time.

The elementary school faculty for school year 1965-1966 is as follows:

Kindergarten: Mrs. Bessie Sierk, Princeton; Miss Adele Kube, Eldridge;
Mrs. Phoebe Niday, Eldridge; Mrs. Margaret Wuestenberg, Allens Grove #2.

Grade One: Mrs. Louise Grabin, Princeton; Mrs. Marion Bliesmer, McCausland;
Mrs. Eleanor Kroeger, Sheridan #1; Mrs. Florence Reilly, Eldridge;
Mrs. Delma Steffen, Sheridan #6; Mrs. Margaret Koens, Sheridan #3;
Mrs. Darlene Speth, Allens Grove #1.

Grade Two: Mrs. Verna Helble, Princeton; Mrs. Malinda Blank, McCausland;
Miss Lorraine Nagle, Winfield #2; Mrs. Frances McGrath, Eldridge;
Mrs. Karen Fordyce, East Maysville; Mrs. Genevieve Sones, West Linn Grove.

Grade Three: Mrs. Laura Holst, Princeton; Miss Irma Herman, McCausland;
Mrs. Viola Martin, Allens Grove #5; Mrs. Lois Hitchcock, Sheridan #9;
Mr. Leland Hurley, Eldridge; Mrs. Helen Sheridan, East Linn Grove;
Mrs. Esther Taber, Eldridge.

Grade Four: Mrs. Johanna Wilder, Princeton; Mrs. Jean Carlin, Lincoln #7;
Mrs. Eleanor Madden, Long Grove; Mrs. Mae Sprosty, Sheridan #4;
Mrs. Erna Bentrrott, Allens Grove #4.

Grade Five: Mrs. Elva DeLashmutt, Princeton #3; Mrs. Shirley Darland, Butler #2;
Miss Mary-Clare Peeters, Long Grove; Miss Evelyn Marolf, Sheridan #5;
Mrs. Henrietta Bope, Dixon.

Grade Six: Mrs. Patricia Marsh, Butler #8; Mrs. Dorothy Steffen, Lincoln #4;
Mrs. Eleanor Connell, Winfield #4; Mrs. Leona Pancratz, Sheridan #7;
Mrs. Frances Paustian, West Maysville; Mrs. Hilda Snyder, Dixon.

Music: Mr. Everett Curtis, Primary Grades; Mrs. Arline Darland, Intermediate Grades.

Sincerely yours,

R. W. Hinrichs

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Director of Elementary Education

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NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Elementary News - Letter

A NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS OF LITTLE PEOPLE

Vol. II, No. 3

November 1965

Dear Parents,

With the end of the first quarter of school year 1965-1966, North Scott elementary teachers have begun preparing for the Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences to be held during the next two weeks. Children will not attend school on the day(s) conferences are held for their class. Conferences will be held on the following schedule:

Thursday, November 11, and Friday, November 12 - All kindergarten

Friday, November 12 - All first grades (except McCausland)
Grades 2, 3, and 4 at Princeton

Monday, November 15 - All second grades (except Princeton)
Grades 1 and 3 at McCausland

Tuesday, November 16 - All third grades (except Princeton and McCausland)

Wednesday, November 17 - All fourth grades (except Princeton)

Thursday, November 18 - All fifth grades
Grade six at Dixon

Friday, November 19 - All sixth grades (except Dixon)

Because of the number of conferences that must be accomplished during each day, most teachers have found it necessary to schedule their conferences at twelve minute intervals. Since this is a very short time to discuss a great deal about your child, promptness will be appreciated. If you find that you will be unavoidably detained, we suggest you phone and ask for an alternate conference time, rather than to attempt to finish the conference in less than the allotted time. Attached to this newsletter is a list of specific ways that parents can help to make the parent-teacher conference more effective and satisfactory.

Students who were absent when individual school pictures were taken will be permitted to have them taken on Tuesday, November 9, at 8:00 A.M. at the high school. Pupils will be excused for this purpose; however, it is the responsibility of the parent to provide transportation to the high school and back to the pupil's classroom.

PTA Calendar for November 1965:

Wednesday, November 10 - Area IV PTA at the County Court House, Davenport, 8:00 P.M.
Tuesday, November 16 - Area III PTA at the High School, 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday, November 17 - Area I PTA at Princeton School, 8:00 P.M.
Monday, November 22 - Area II PTA at the High School, 8:00 P.M.

School will be closed for Thanksgiving Vacation on November 25 and 26. Classes will be dismissed two hours earlier than usual on Wednesday, November 24.

Sincerely yours,

R. W. Hunsicker

Director of Elementary Education

Eight Ways Parents Can Improve Parent/Teacher Conferences

1. Decide in Advance What You Want to Ask the Teacher. You will learn more about your child and find conferences more satisfactory, if you approach them with specific questions in mind. Sit down with your husband or wife in advance and decide what specific things about your child's school work are puzzling or worrying you.
2. Be Prepared to Tell the Teacher What She Wants to Know. The more your child's teacher knows about his home background, his hobbies, his reading interests, what he says at home about school, his opportunity to do homework, chores he may have, the state of his health, the better equipped she is to help him with his learning at school. If she asks questions of this kind, do your best to give accurate answers. She is not prying. She is seeking the "why" of his strengths and weaknesses in school, in order to guide him more effectively.
3. Arrive At the Conference On or Before the Scheduled Time and Help to Complete It During the Allotted Time. If you find that you need to discuss your child's progress or problems in considerable depth, ask for a longer follow-up conference where this can be accomplished in more leisurely fashion.
4. Find Out Why Things Are Done a Certain Way. If you wonder why your child is taught modern mathematics, or whether he is memorizing the alphabet, don't ask your neighbors, ask his teacher. If you still find the new methods of teaching hard to understand, ask her to suggest the best days and times for you to visit the classroom as an observer.
5. Leave Brothers and Sisters at Home. Small children not only disrupt a parent-teacher conference, they may also listen to what is said and repeat it.
6. Listen Before You Leap. If you've been storing up resentment about a tale your child brought home from school, don't explode. Listen to the teacher's side of the story. You could say embarrassing things, especially if you find that your child was either misinformed, or overly imaginative.
7. Don't Expect More Than the Teacher Can Give. Your child may need special help and his teacher may be longing to give that help, but if her classroom is crowded she may lack both time and energy. Don't expect, or demand, more special attention for your youngster than she can give. Instead, ask if there is anything you can do, on the home front, to solve his learning problems.
8. Bring Dad If Possible. Fathers who attend conferences become a part of the child's school world. Boys and Girls need to know that interest in their school progress is not the exclusive domain of their mothers.

Elementary Newsletter

A NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS OF LITTLE PEOPLE

Vol. II, No. 4

December 1965

Dear Parents,

The second joint PTA meeting of the year will be held on Monday, December 6, 1965, at 8:00 P.M. in the high school lunchroom. The highschool PTA will serve as host unit for this meeting. For the program, a panel of guidance counselors will discuss the topic, "Career Counselling - Kindergarten through College."

School will be dismissed for Christmas Vacation two hours earlier than normal on Thursday, December 23, 1965. Classes will resume on Monday, January 3, 1966.

The first semester of school year 1965-1966 will end on Friday, January 14, 1966. There will be no school on Monday, January 17, and the second semester will begin on Tuesday, January 18, 1966. The morning and afternoon kindergarten classes will switch on the first day of the new semester, the present morning classes attending afternoons and the present afternoon classes attending mornings the last half of the school year.

School closing because of bad roads or adverse weather conditions becomes a possibility with the onset of winter. Whenever possible, news of school closing will be on the 7:00 A.M. news on radio stations WOC and KSTT, Davenport, and WHBF, Rock Island. Please do not call the school office, since at that time phone lines would be tied up and the office staff on duty will be busy trying to contact bus drivers and other key personnel.

Elementary school enrollment continues to creep upward. Current enrollment in grades Kindergarten through six is 1168, an increase of 23 since September 14, 1965. Since it seems likely that we will continue to experience growth, and because it seems unlikely that any of our new elementary schools will be ready for occupancy by the beginning of school next August, we no doubt will face severe overcrowding in our elementary classrooms during the next 12 to 18 months. Several classrooms are already bulging at the seams, a number of others are at full capacity. We will be forced to reopen Butler # 1 school next year just to care for existing classes. Further, it seems pertinent to note that growth experienced since last May, leaves us already short one classroom in the new elementary schools before the construction contracts have even been let.

New supplementary reading materials for grades 4, 5, and 6 and up-to-date maps and globes for all elementary grades have been put into North Scott Elementary classrooms recently. These materials, along with overhead projectors, screens, and science supplies, have been purchased under the provisions of the National Defense Education Act, with half the purchase price being returned to the school district from federal tax revenues. The need for these supplementary reading materials was determined last spring by the Reading Curriculum Study Committee, a group of North Scott teachers and administrators who met after school a number of times for the purpose of taking a critical look at the curriculum to see how learning opportunities might be improved for North Scott girls and boys.

G. W. Hendricks

Director of Elementary Education

NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Elementary Newsletter
A NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS OF LITTLE PEOPLE

Vol. II, No. 5

January 1966

Dear Parents,

No school will be held on Monday, January 17, 1966. This has been set aside as an In-Service Education Day for teachers, a day to finish first semester reports and to prepare for the second semester's work. The second semester of school year 1965-1966 will begin on Tuesday, January 18, 1966.

Kindergarten classes will switch on Tuesday, January 18, 1966. Children who have attended in the morning during the first semester will attend during the afternoon for the second semester. Those who have attended during the afternoon will attend during the morning.

Iowa Tests of Basic Skills will be given to all children in grades three, four, five, and six during the week of January 18 to 21. The results of these tests will be used by your child's teachers this year and in future years to better plan to meet the individual needs of your child. The Iowa Tests of Basic Skills are designed to measure your child's total achievement since he entered school in five areas; Reading Skills, Vocabulary Development, Language Skills, Work-Study Skills, and Arithmetic Skills. Information on how your child scored on these tests will be available at the spring Parent/Teacher conferences to be held at the end of the third quarter.

When was the last time you held a home fire drill? Of the approximately 11,600 deaths by fire in the United States each year, 6,500 persons die in fires within their homes. Fire departments suggest that every household make plans for what to do in case of fire, discuss escape routes, and hold periodic fire drills. Provide alternate routes, should one be cut off. Plan to get out of upstairs bedrooms without using stairways because rising heat and smoke usually eliminate them as means of exit. Above all, impress on children that they should get outdoors and must not try to hide from the fire in a closet or under a bed. Plan where the family will assemble after getting out and discuss the importance of never re-entering a burning building. Practice now the steps that can save your life.

The Area IV P.T.A. meeting which had been scheduled for Wednesday, January 12, 1966, has been postponed until the second Wednesday in February due to adverse weather conditions. The other elementary P.T.A.'s will meet on their regular meeting dates: Area III at 8:00 P.M. on Tuesday, January 18, in the high school cafeteria; Area I at 8:00 P.M. on Wednesday, January 19, at Princeton Elementary School; and Area II at 8:00 P.M. on Monday, January 24, in the high school cafeteria. These are meetings all members are urged to attend, since this is the month the P.T.A.'s had planned to take whatever action they felt appropriate on the proposal to disband the area organizations in favor of one large P.T.A.

Sincerely yours,

R. W. Hinrichs

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Director of Elementary Education

NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Elementary Newsletter
A NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS OF LITTLE PEOPLE

Vol. II, No. 6

March-April 1966

Dear Parents,

Kindergarten Roundup will be held on Monday, April 4, 1966, from 9:00 A.M. through 3:00 P.M. The roundup this year will be an informal open house where parents and prospective kindergarteners will have an opportunity to meet and talk with one of the kindergarten teachers. Roundups will be held in the kindergarten rooms in the Princeton School, in the Eldridge Elementary School, and at Allens Grove #2 School. Parents may attend whichever of these sites is most convenient, though there is, of course, no assurance that their child will be assigned to that kindergarten room. Room assignments will not be made until late July or early August, by which time we hope to have some indication of how many additional students will have moved into the school district.

To enroll in kindergarten classes for next fall, Iowa law requires that children be five years old by September 15, 1966. Children whose birthdays are after that date cannot be enrolled until school year 1967-1968. Parents are asked to bring their children's birth certificates to the kindergarten roundup.

The elementary school office is now located on the second floor of the Reserve Credit Building at 124 North 2nd Street in Eldridge. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:15 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. The phone number of the new office is 285-9648.

With an allocation of \$108,000 to North Scott under the provisions of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Act of 1965, a major attack on the reading problems of children of the school district has become possible. The first project under Title I of the ESEA, dubbed "Operation Catch-Up," got fully underway on March 24, when the last of the additional personnel for the project actually began working with children.

To reduce class size in the primary grades for purposes of reading instruction was an important goal of "Operation Catch-Up." Since the pupil-teacher ratio in the primary grades had grown to 27 to 1, it was felt that by adding teachers to reduce that ratio to less than 20 to 1 many future reading problems could perhaps be prevented. Because all usable classroom space was already in use, the creation of additional classes at mid-year was out of the question. The alternative which was selected was to add teachers and teacher-aides who could go to the existing classes on a part-time basis to work with one of the three reading groups in the room and to give individual aid to children in need of extra help. To carry out this phase of the project 4 full-time teachers, 5 part-time teachers, and 4 teacher-aides have been added to the staff for the remainder of the school year.

A second important goal of the first project was to initiate a remedial reading program for children in grades four through twelve. Analysis of test results indicated a large backlog of children who might benefit from remedial reading instruction if such a program were available. Scarcity of teachers who are qualified for remedial reading is a factor which has limited the scope of the remedial reading phase of the program for the remainder of this school year. The decision was to go ahead with the formulation of a remedial reading program, limited in scope, excellent in quality, and diagnostic in character, which could serve as the basis for an on-going remedial program such as the children of the district have long needed. To carry out this remedial phase of the project, one part-time and three full-time remedial reading teachers have been added to the faculty. In the elementary grades we feel this program is currently reaching between one-third and one-half the children we would ultimately like to involve in it.

These two phases of the project, prevention of reading disabilities in the primary grades and correction of reading problems already in existence in the intermediate and secondary grades, are the heart of "Operation Catch-Up." There are in addition included as supporting services, a librarian-aide to help the school librarian in work on the project, an elementary school nurse to follow through on any physical problems that might be related to reading disability, and a project coordinator to supervise and coordinate within and between the phases of the program.

A proposal for a summer school project to follow the project described above is now being written. We anticipate that the summer project will include continuation classes for primary-grade children who need additional individual aid, and will also include continuation classes and/or remedial work for children in the intermediate and secondary grades who show the greatest need for this type of help. We further anticipate that the summer school will include some mathematics work in addition to the major emphasis on reading improvement and remedial reading. Current discussion on the proposal indicates that the summer school is likely to involve up to 250 children daily, Monday through Friday, from about 8:30 to 11:30 A.M., for six weeks from early June through late July. While budgetary limitations will restrict the project to fewer than 300 children, we expect the project will be even more severely limited by the availability of teachers. Full details on the summer school program should be available by mid-May. Parents of children who will be eligible for summer school will be contacted by letter in the near future.

Sincerely yours,

R. W. Hinrichs

R. W. Hinrichs
Director of Elementary Education

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Area # 3

1964 - 1965

Historian's Book

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TYPE OF SCHOOL: ELEMENTARY -- ONE ROOM SCHOOLS AND
MULTI ROOM SCHOOLS.

FIFTEEN CLASSROOMS AND FIFTEEN TEACHERS

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY THREE P. T. A. MEMBERSHIPS

PUBLICITY FACILITIES-- THE DE WITT OBSERVER
THE DAVENPORT TIMES AND DEMOCRAT
THE LANCE - NORTH SCOTT SCHOOL PAPER

BUDGET 1964-1965
AREA #3 P.T.A.

EXPENDITURES:

SECRETARY AND TREASURER EXPENSE-----	\$ 5.00
PROGRAM COMMITTEE-----	15.00
HOSPITALITY-----	30.00
COUNCIL DUES-----	10.00
DISTRICT COURTSEY FUND-----	1.00
SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT (FOR TEACHERS)-----	150.00
ROOM REPRESENTATIVES-----	5.00
DELEGATE EXPENSES-----	100.00
SIXTH GRADE PROMOTION-----	75.00
HISTORIANS EXPENSE-----	5.00
STUDENT LOAN-----	10.00
PUBLICATIONS-----	10.00
MEMBERSHIP (GAMES)-----	25.00
PARENT EDUCATION-----	10.00
MISCELLANEOUS-----	15.00
ANTICIPATED STATE P.T.A. DUES-----	45.00
TOTAL-----	\$ 511.00

RECEIPTS

CASH ON HAND-----	\$ 67.49
ANTICIPATED DUES-----	70.00
FINANCIAL PROJECT-----	373.51
TOTAL-----	\$ 511.00

By-laws for the North Scott Community School District Parent-
Teacher Association, Area # 3

ARTICLE I

Name:

The name of this association shall be the North Scott Community School District Area # 3 Parent-Teacher Association, a local unit of the Iowa branch of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

ARTICLE II

Objects:

To promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, church, and community.

To raise the standards of home life.

To secure adequate laws for the care and protection of children and youth.

To bring into closed relation the home and the school, that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the training of the child.

To develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for every child the highest advantages in physical, mental, social, and spiritual education.

ARTICLE III

Policies:

Section 1. The program of this association shall be educational and shall be developed through conferences, committees, and projects.

Section 2. This association shall be noncommercial, nonsectarian, and nonpartisan. No commercial enterprise and no candidate shall be endorsed by it. The name of the association or the names of any members in their official capacities shall not be used in any connection with a commercial concern or with any partisan interest, or for any purpose other than the regular work of the association.

Section 3. This association shall seek neither to direct the administrative activities of the school nor to control its policies.

Section 4. This association may cooperate with other organizations and agencies active in child welfare, such as conference groups or coordinating councils, provided they make no commitments that bind their member groups.

ARTICLE IV

Membership and Dues:

Section 1. Any person interested in the Objects of the National Congress and willing to uphold its policies and subscribe to its by-laws may become a member upon payment of dues hereinafter provided.

Section 2. The annual dues for membership in this association shall be fifty (50) cents per member, of which thirty-five (35) cents per capita shall be paid by the local treasurer to the treasurer of the state branch for the state and national portions of the dues provided in the state and national by-laws.

Section 3. An annual enrollment of members shall be conducted. Additional members shall be accepted at any time.

ARTICLE V

Officers and Their Election:

Section 1.

a. The officers of this association shall be a president, one vice-president, a secretary, and a treasurer.

b. Officers shall be elected by ballot annually in the month of April. However, if there is but one (1) nominee for any office, it shall be in order to move that the secretary cast the elective ballot of the association for the nominee.

c. Officers shall assume their official duties at the close of the annual meeting in May and shall serve for a term of one (1) year and/or until their successors are elected.

d. No person shall serve more than two (2) consecutive terms in the same office.

Section 2.

a. There shall be a nominating committee consisting of three (3) members, one of whom shall be selected by the executive committee from its body, and two (2) elected by the association at the regular November meeting. The president shall appoint one of the three to serve as chairman of the committee.

b. The nominating committee shall select one (1) nominee for each office to be filled and report at the meeting in April.

c. Following the report of the nominating committee, an opportunity shall be given for nominations from the floor.

d. Only those who have consented to serve if elected shall be eligible for nomination, either by the committee or from the floor.

Section 3. A vacancy occurring in an office shall be filled by a majority vote of the remaining members of the executive committee. Due notice of such election having been given. In case a vacancy occurs in the office of president, the vice-president shall serve notice of the election.

Section 4. All delegates, alternates, and historian shall be appointed by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VI

Duties of Officers:

Section 1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the Association and of the executive committee; shall be a member ex-officio of all committees except the nominating committee; and shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed in these by-laws or assigned to him by the association or by the executive committee.

Section 2. The vice-president shall act as aide to the president and shall perform the duties of the president in the absence of that officer. The vice-president shall also act as program chairman for the year in which he or she is elected.

Section 3. The secretary shall keep an accurate record of all meetings of the association and of the executive committee and shall perform such other duties as may be delegated to him.

Section 4. The treasurer shall receive all moneys of the association; shall keep an accurate record of receipts and expenditures; and shall pay out local funds only as authorized by the association. The treasurer shall present a statement of account at every meeting of the association and at other times when requested by the executive committee and shall make a full report at the annual meeting.

The treasurer shall keep the record of the national and state portions of the membership dues separate from the record of the general funds of the local unit and shall forward national and state moneys to the state treasurer at such times and in such manner as the state by-laws provide.

The treasurer's accounts shall be examined annually by an auditor or an auditing committee of not less than three members, who, satisfied that the treasurer's annual report is correct, shall sign a statement of that fact at the end of the report. The auditing committee shall be appointed by the executive committee at least two weeks before the annual meeting.

ARTICLE VII

Meetings:

Section 1.

- a. A regular meeting of this association shall be held at 8:00 P.M. on the third Tuesday of every month of the school year unless otherwise decided by the executive committee of the association. Seven days notice shall be given of change of date or time.
- b. Special meetings may be called by the executive committee, seven days' notice having been given.
- c. The May meeting shall be the annual meeting, at which time annual reports shall be made and newly elected officers shall take office.
- d. If the membership is twenty or less, six members shall constitute a quorum. If it is more than twenty, one-fifth of the membership shall constitute a quorum.
- e. The privilege of holding office, introducing motions, debating, and voting shall be limited to members whose current dues are paid.

ARTICLE VIII

Executive Committee:

Section 1. The executive committee shall consist of the officers of the association, the chairman of standing committees, delegates, historian, and the principal of the school or a representative appointed by him. The members of the executive committee shall serve until their successors are elected.

Section 2. The duties of the executive committee shall be (a) to transact necessary business in the intervals between association meetings and such other business as may be referred to it by the association; (b) to approve the plans of work of the standing committees; (c) to present a report at the regular meetings of the association; (d) to appoint an auditor or an auditing committee at least two weeks before the annual meeting to audit the treasurer's accounts; (e) to prepare and submit to the association for approval a budget for the fiscal year; and (f) to approve routine bills within the limits of the budget.

Section 3. Regular meetings of the executive committee shall be held monthly during the school year, the time to be fixed by the committee at its first meeting of the year. A majority shall constitute a quorum. Special meetings of the executive committee may be called by the president or by a majority of the members of the committee.

ARTICLE IX

Standing Committees:

Section 1. Such standing committees shall be created by the executive committee as may be required to promote the objects and interests of the association. The chairmen of the standing committees shall be selected by the officers of the association and the principal of the school or his representative. Their term shall be one year.

Section 2. The chairmen of all standing committees shall present plans of work to the executive committee, and no committee work shall be undertaken without the approval of the executive committee.

ARTICLE X

Parliamentary authority:

Robert's Rules of Order Revised shall govern this association in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these by-laws and those of the state branch and the National Congress.

ARTICLE XI

Amendments:

Section 1.

a. These by-laws may be amended at any regular meeting of the association by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, provided notice of the proposed amendment shall have been given at the previous meeting, and provided the amendment is not inconsistent with the mandatory articles prescribed in the by-laws of the state congress and the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

b. A committee may be appointed to submit a revised set of by-laws as a substitute for these by-laws only by a majority vote at a meeting of the association, or by a two-thirds vote of the executive committee.

c. After approval by a two-thirds vote at a meeting of the association, two (2) copies of all amendments shall be sent for approval to the person designated by the state congress of parents and teachers.

d. All amendments shall become effective upon approval of the state congress.

These by-laws were tentatively drawn up August 29, 1957.



AREA #3 P.T.A.

All P.T.A. Meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. in the North Scott High School Cafeteria.

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Parent Education Meetings are held the fourth Tuesday of every month in the Home Economics Room at the North Scott High School.

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Area #3 P.T.A. Goal:

LET'S LEARN MORE IN "64"

THE 1964-1965 P.T.A. OFFICERS OF NORTH SCOTT AREA # 3

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SEATED LEFT TO RIGHT

PRESIDENT-----	MRS. CHRIS BLAKE
SECRETARY-----	MRS. WAYNE JUGENHEIMER
VICE-PRESIDENT-----	MRS. DANA DANFORTH
TREASURER-----	MRS. WAYNE HIGBY

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1964-65 AREA #3

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN-----Mrs. HENRY ARP

THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE OF NORTH SCOTT AREA #3 P.T.A. FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1964-65 WAS COMPOSED OF MRS. HENRY ARP, CHAIRMAN AND MRS. CHRIS VOLLBEER, CO-CHAIRMAN. AS AN ATTENDANCE INCENTIVE FOR THE YEAR THEY CHOSE TO PRESENT A GAME TO THE CLASSROOM HAVING THE GREATEST PERCENTAGE OF PARENTS PRESENT AT EACH OF THE MEETINGS. AS EACH PARENT ENTERED THE MEETING THEY REGISTERED ON THE SHEET DESIGNATED FOR EACH CLASSROOM THEIR CHILDREN ATTENDED. PERCENTAGES WERE FIGURED AND AT THE END OF THE MEETING IT WAS ANNOUNCED WHICH CLASSROOM WOULD RECEIVE THE PRIZE. OF THE 15 CLASSROOMS 7 HAVE RECEIVED THE AWARD. CLASSROOMS HAVING WON GAMES FOR THE PAST SCHOOL YEAR ARE AS FOLLOWS:

SEPT. -----	MISS OELERICH'S AFTERNOON CLASS OF KINDERGARTEN
OCT. -----	MISS OELERICH'S MORNING CLASS OF KINDERGARTEN
NOV. -----	MRS. SPROSTY'S 4TH GRADE
DEC. -----	NO MEETING
JAN. -----	MRS. CARLIN'S 5TH GRADE
FEB. -----	MISS KUBE'S MORNING CLASS OF KINDERGARTEN
MAR. -----	MRS. HITCHCOCK'S 3RD GRADE
APR. -----	MRS. SPROSTY'S 4TH GRADE
MAY -----	MRS. KROEGER'S 2ND GRADE

THE TOTAL MEMBERSHIP FOR THE YEAR WAS 123, A GAIN OF 6 MEMBERS OVER LAST YEARS MEMBERSHIP

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED
BY MRS. CHRIS VOLLBEER
CO-CHAIRMAN

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1964-1965 AREA #3
HOSPITALITY CHAIRMAN-----Mrs. DWAIN SWANSON

DURING THE PAST YEAR ONE OF OUR MAIN OBJECTIVES WAS TO GET OUR PARENTS AND TEACHERS BETTER ACQUAINTED BY HAVING MIXERS DURING THE SOCIAL HOUR AFTER OUR P. T. A. MEETING. THIS WAY OUR NEWCOMERS ALSO FELT MORE AT EASE BY JOINING IN WITH THE OLD MEMBERS.

FOR OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING WE MADE SMALL CORSAGES FROM FLOWERS OUT OF OUR GARDENS FOR THE TEACHERS AND OUR ELEMENTARY DIRECTOR. THIS YEAR WE ALSO HAD TWO P. T. A. MEMBERS GREET THE PARENTS AND TEACHERS AT THE DOOR AND DIRECT THE NEWCOMERS TO OUR MEETING PLACE AND ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS THAT WERE ASKED.

EACH MONTH WE SELECT SEVERAL PARENTS FROM ONE GRADE TO SERVE ON THE REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE AND THE CHILDREN IN THIS CERTAIN CLASS MAKE THE NAME TAGS FOR THE P. T. A. MEETING. THEY MAKE TWO KINDS, ONE FOR THE PARENTS AND A DIFFERENT KIND FOR THE TEACHERS. THE NAME TAGS EITH REPRESENTED THE SEASONS OF THE YEAR, HOLIDAYS, OR COINCIDED WITH OUR PROGRAM.

AT OUR MAY MEETING, TO SHOW OUR APPRECIATION TO THE TEACHERS WE GAVE THEM EACH A POTTED GERANIUM PLANT. WE GAVE A BOX OF CANDY TO THE OFFICE GIRLS WHO HELPED US WHENEVER WE NEEDED THEM.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
BY: Mrs. DWAIN SWANSON
CHAIRMAN
Mrs. MARVIN CARLSON
ASSISTANT CHAIRMAN

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1964-1965 FROM AREA #3
HEALTH CHAIRMAN-----Mrs. ELMER KLEVER, JR.

THE ANNUAL KINDERGARTEN ROUND - UP FOR AREA 3 WAS HELD ON
MARCH 10, 1965 AT THE FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH IN ELDRIDGE, IOWA.

SHORT TALKS WERE GIVEN BY MRS. HOWARD STAMER, SCHOOL
NURSE, MR. HAROLD HUBBARD FROM THE SUPERINTENDENTS OFFICE, AND
MR. HINRICH, ELEMENTARY SUPERVISOR.

THERE WERE 50 CHILDREN REGISTERED. COOKIES AND MILK WERE
SERVED AND ALL THE CHILDREN RECEIVED A PENCIL AND BALLOONS.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED
BY: Mrs. ELMER KLEVER, JR.
HEALTH CHAIRMAN

NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
ELDRIDGE IOWA

March 9, 1965

Dear Parent

The annual spring round-up of kindergarten children in Area III of the North Scott District will be held Wednesday, March 10, at 1:00 P.M. at the Faith Lutheran Church in Eldridge.

As a State Law that school children must be five on or before September 15th. They must bring with them their birth certificate or proof of their age.

It is important that you have your child registered and receive your copy of the medical forms which must be filled out by your doctor and dentist, and returned to school with your child in the fall.

If you know of any family having a child ready for school in the fall of 1965, we would appreciate it if you would notify them of the above information.

There will be NO kindergarten class in the afternoon.



Ronald W. Hinrichs
Director of Elementary Education

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1964-1965 AREA #3
MAGAZINE CHAIRMAN-----MRS. WILLIAM BLANCHE

AREA 3 P. T. A. MEMBERS AGAIN RECEIVED "THE TEN OR MORE AWARD" AND ALSO THE "OVER TWENTY-FIVE CLUB" AWARD, ENTITLING US TO A BONUS SUBSCRIPTION WHICH WAS PLACED IN THE OFFICE OF RICHARD COLLINS, D. D. S., ELDRIDGE, IOWA.

THE TOTAL NUMBER OF "NATIONAL P. T. A. MAGAZINE" SUBSCRIPTIONS WAS THIRTY-THREE, AND THREE FOR THE "IOWA PARENT AND TEACHERS" MAGAZINE, PLUS THE THREE FREE COPIES.

THE PRESENT SUBSCRIBERS ENJOY THE MAGAZINE, FINDING THE ARTICLES VERY HELPFUL. I HOPE THE INTEREST CONTINUES AND OUR NEXT CHAIRMAN CAN INCREASE THE SUBSCRIPTION SALES.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED
BY: MRS. WILLIAM BLANCHE
PUBLICATIONS CHAIRMAN

The

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Magazine

25

or-More Club

1964-1965

THIS CERTIFIES THAT THE NORTH SCOTT AREA 111 PTA

has secured twenty-five or more subscribers to the official magazine of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers and is therefore entitled to membership in *THE PTA MAGAZINE* 25-OR-MORE CLUB. I congratulate your association for having achieved membership in this club.

Mrs. James King

MRS. JAMES KING, National Chairman
The PTA Magazine

The

PTA

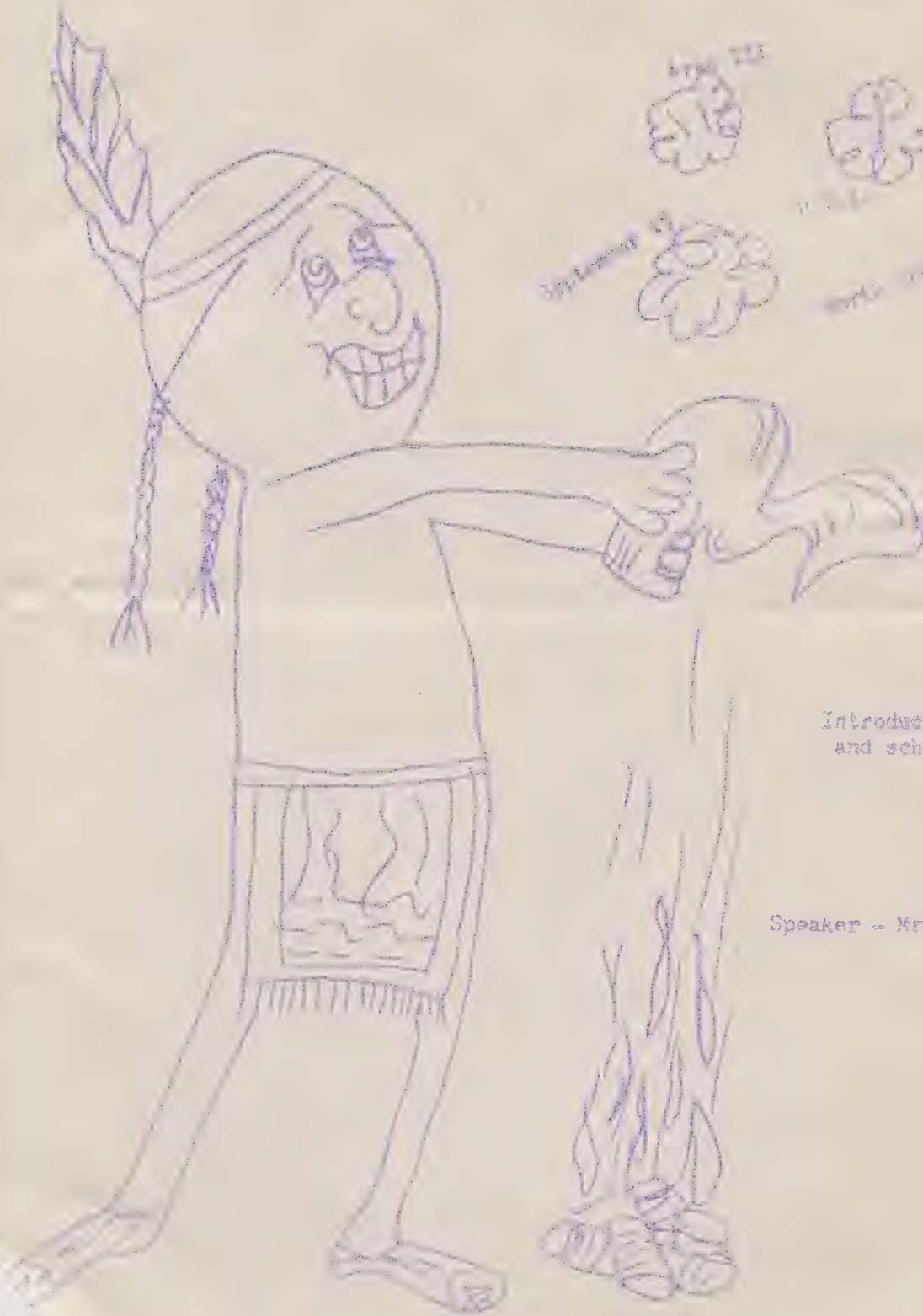
Magazine

NATIONAL PARENT-TEACHER

The Peace Corps on Trial
Children in the Dark
Time Out for Television

MAY 1961





Introduction of teachers
and school board.

Speaker - Mr. Hinrichs





AREA III P.T.A.

OCTOBER 20, 1964

8:00 p.m.

NORTH SCOTT HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA

Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Mr. Louis Pickett will be the speaker.

Mr. Heiler will give a brief talk on the bond issue.

Parent Education Meeting - October 27, 1964

7:30 p.m.

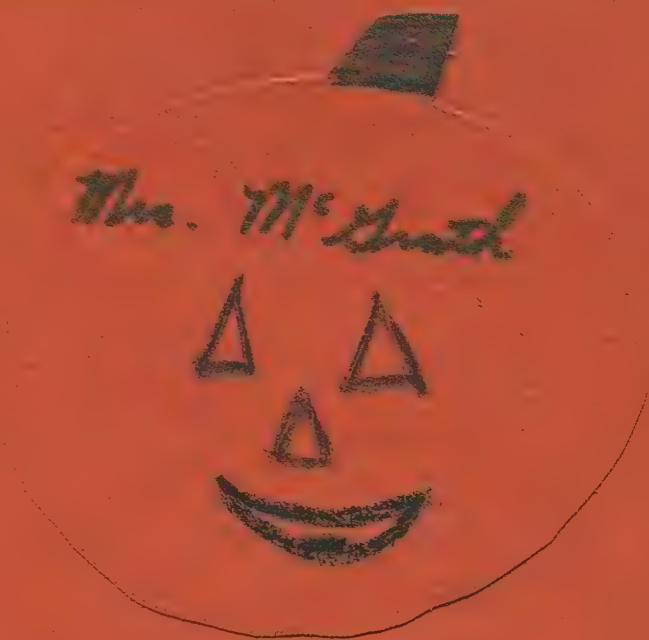
Home Ec Lounge

- TOPIC -

CHILDREN'S STRESSES AND DISTRESSES

(October PTA Magazine)





6A- DeWitt Observer -6A
DeWitt, Clinton Co., Iowa
Thurs., Oct. 29, 1964



School Building Proposal Outlined At PTA Meeting

ELDRIDGE — North Scott Area 3 PTA met Tuesday evening, Oct. 20 in the cafeteria of the North Scott Community Junior-Senior High School. Mrs. Chris Blake, president conducted the business meeting.

Louis L. Pickett, Scott County Superintendent of Schools spoke on the new approach to proportionate sharing of public school support in the state of Iowa. Also speaking and showing slides was S. A. Ballantyne, superintendent of Bettendorf schools.

Superintendent Melvin E. Heiler gave a resume of the \$615,000 school bond issue which will be presented to North Scott District voters on Dec. 4. The plans call for two elementary school buildings, one in the eastern section of the district and the other in the western section.

Mr. Heiler and members of the North Scott School Board will give a complete run-down on the plans for the new schools, sites, etc., at the next Area 3 PTA meeting to be held on Nov. 17.

FALL FESTIVAL REMINDER

The Homemakers Corner would appreciate any of the following items for its Corner:

Jewelry
Bake Goods
Dried Flower Arrangements
Plants
Gourds

These items should be brought the evening of the 28th.

If you are donating - Hamburger
Weiners
Chili Sticks

Bring them to the bank basement between 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
on Tuesday, October 27, 1964.

If you are donating - Pies
Hot Dog Buns
Relishes (carrot & celery sticks)

Bring them to the High School Cafeteria any time after
2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 28.





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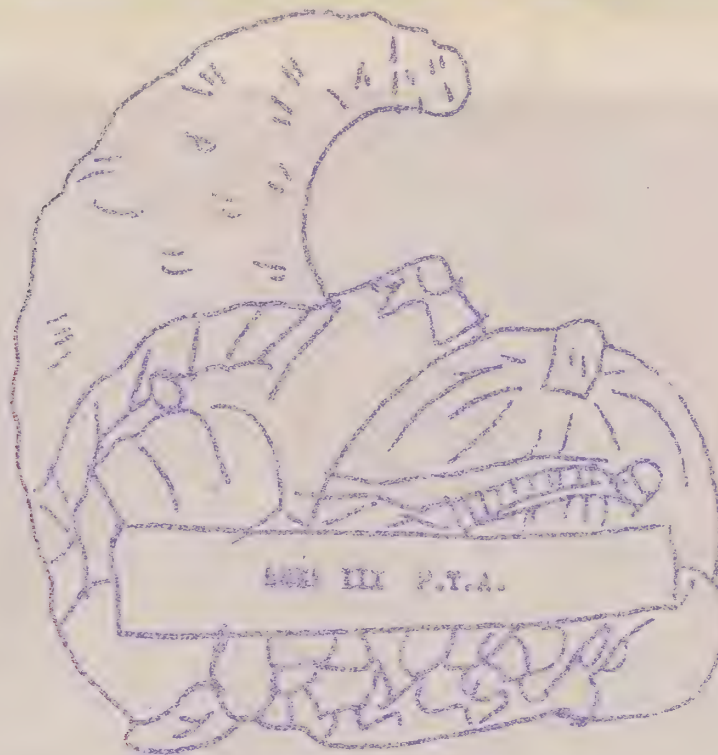
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North Scott High School Cafeteria

Tuesday, November 17, 1964

6:00 p.m.

Mr. Heiler & Board Members will discuss the bond issue.

Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m. prior to regular meeting

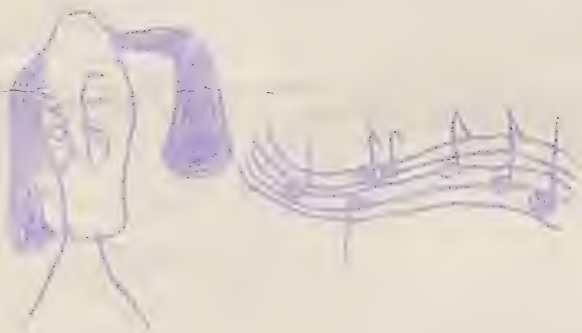




AREA III P.T.A.

Tuesday, January 19, 1965

North Scott Cafeteria
8:00 p.m.



Music - Mrs. Arline Darland

Mrs. Jean Carlin - report on
fifth grade

Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m.







AREA III P.T.A.

Tuesday, February 16, 1965

8:00 p.m.

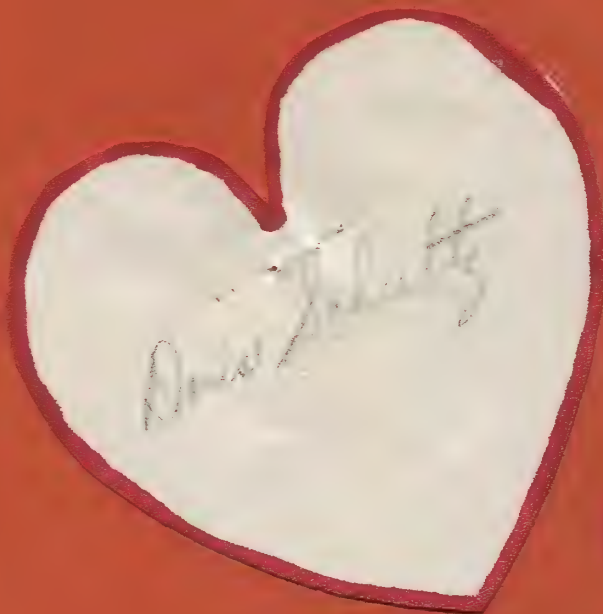
North Scott High School Cafeteria

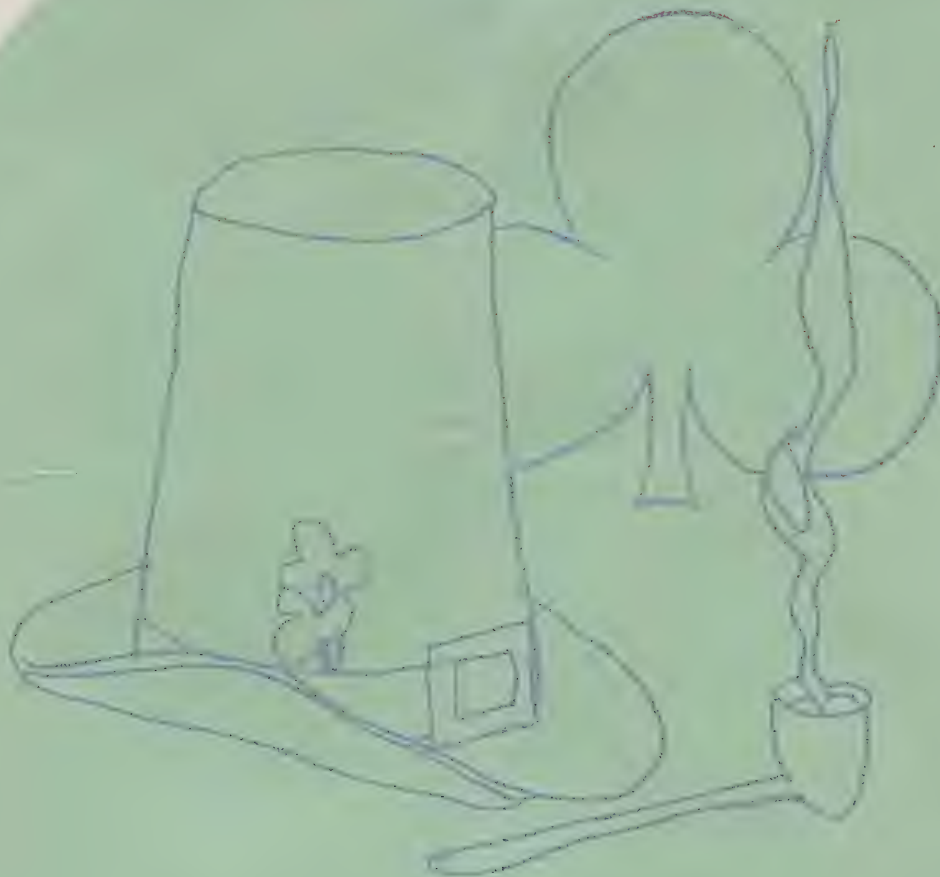
Panel of teachers on Modern English - Mrs. Hitchcock
Miss Marolf
Mrs. Panorati



Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m.







AMMA ETC I E A

Tuesday, March 15, 1961

8:00 p.m.

Wood County High School, O'Fallon, Ill.

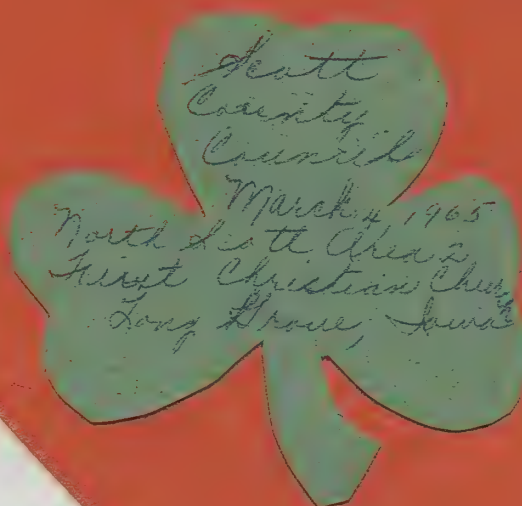
PROGRAM

Presented with

Mr. Hitchcock

Rev. Dorothy Tieffon

Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Followed by regular meeting





AREA I, II, III, IV P.T.A.

Wednesday, April 21, 1965

8:00 p.m.

NORTH SCOTT HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA

- Panel Discussion -

"Social Mores and Morals"

- Mr. Melvin Heiler, Superintendent
- Mr. Ronald Hinrichs, Dir. of Elem. Ed.
- Rev. K. C. Martin
- Dr. Walter E. Foley, M.D.
- Mr. Roger Jepsen, Sunday School Superintendent



Mr. Ray Porter will discuss the progress of the elementary school building project.



REFRESHMENTS
WILL BE
SERVED



HIRE A BABY SITTER AND
BRING A NEIGHBOR TO P.T.A.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Raymond Baetke, President
Kenneth Dietz
John Fox
Everett Sidlinger
Dr. J. B. White

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Lois M. Staker, Audio-Visual and Testing Programs
Cecil C. Ross, Educational Consultant
Harold Hubbard, Educational Consultant
Wilbur Cline, Director of Research & Data Processing
Frank Vance, Director of Special Education
Frank S. King, Psychologist
Dorothy Bornholtz, Psychologist
J. Joseph Freilinger, Hearing Clinician
Richard E. Shine, Coordinator, Speech Therapy Services
Ronald L. Huddleston, Speech Therapist
Richard A. Hoskins, Speech Therapist
Norma Biondo, Consultant, Physically Handicapped
Lyn Jones, Physical Therapist
Janice Moeller, Teacher, Physically Handicapped
Ellen Broski, Teacher, Physically Handicapped
Don Hannah, Teacher, Neurologically Impaired
Kathleen Kinney, Teacher, Visually Handicapped
Doris Kelley, Teacher, Trainable Mentally Retarded
Marlene Sinclair, Teacher, Trainable Mentally Retarded

SECRETARIAL AND CLERICAL STAFF

Evelyn C. Meyer
Nelda Cassidy
Barbara J. Dalton
DeAnna Fix
Wanda Malone
Wanda Guthardt
Jane Hennings
Joanne Thee

STAFF ASSISTANTS: Nancy Jo Ramacitti, Marie Frerichs,
Lota M. Niemand, Teacher Assistants, Fairmount School;
Charles Hammel, Bus Driver

Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers

Contribution Certificate

Presented to

NORTH SCOTT AREA #3 PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

In Recognition of a Contribution in the Amount of \$10.00

on OCTOBER 23, 1964

to the

Student Loan Fund

President Mrs Robert Cook

Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers

Inc.
Branch of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers

Acorn

Award

This is to certify that NORTH SCOTT AREA #3
Parent-Teacher Association has completed and returned by
May 1, 1965 the Local Unit Achievement Report.

Mrs. Robert Cook
State President.

Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc.

A Branch of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers

Membership Recognition

This is to certify that

NORTH SCOTT AREA #3

Parent-Teacher Association has won membership recognition
and is entitled to be known as

A Gold Leaf Association

having reached their 1964, 1965 Membership Goal assigned
to them by the Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers.

Mrs. Robert Cook
State President

S.P.R.I.N.G. C.O.N.F.E.R.E.N.C.E.

DISTRICT SIX

of the

IOWA CONGRESS OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS

*District
of the
Iowa Congress
of Parents & Teachers*

Thursday, May 6, 1965

Methodist Church
5th and Spencer Streets
West Liberty, Iowa

HELLO!
MY NAME IS

Deloris Blake

Eldridge Northcott

WHAT'S YOURS?



PUBLIC MEETING



MONDAY, 24th

8 P.M.

THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING IN ELDRIDGE

ALL PATRONS OF THE DISTRICT ARE INVITED TO ATTEND

ALL FACTS CONCERNING THE ELEMENTARY

BUILDING PROGRAM WILL BE PRESENTED

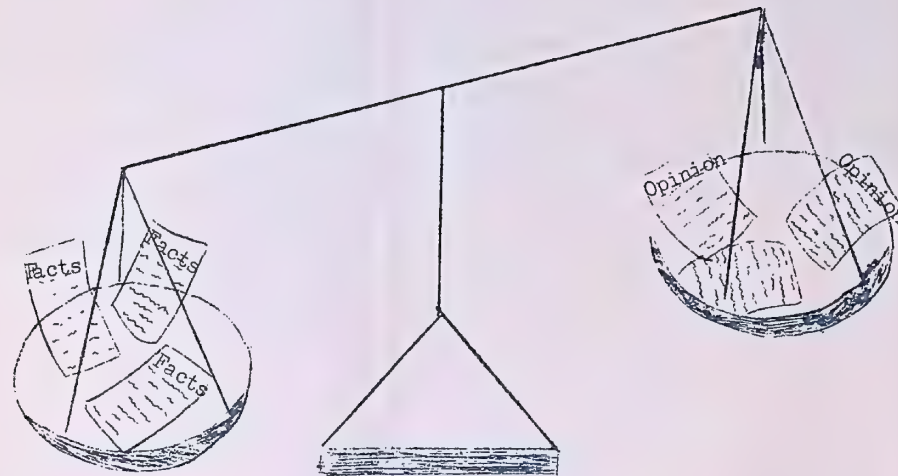
-- BOARD OF DIRECTORS

NORTH SCOTT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT



NORTH SCOTT ELEMENTARY

BUILDING PROGRAM



FACTS GIVE US THE EVIDENCE FOR OUR OPINIONS

NEW SCHOOLS FOR IMPROVED EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS
in---

READING: Remedial Reading, Improved Developmental Reading, Library Skills, Individualized Instruction

SOCIAL STUDIES: Sufficient Reference Material in Central Library, Adequate Audio-Visual Materials

SCIENCE: Portable Science Laboratories and Equipment, Sufficient Reference Materials and Books

ARITHMETIC: Better Use of Specialized Arithmetic Laboratory Materials, Audio-Visual Materials

MUSIC: Instrumental Music and Beginning Band Program, More Efficiency in Vocal Music Program

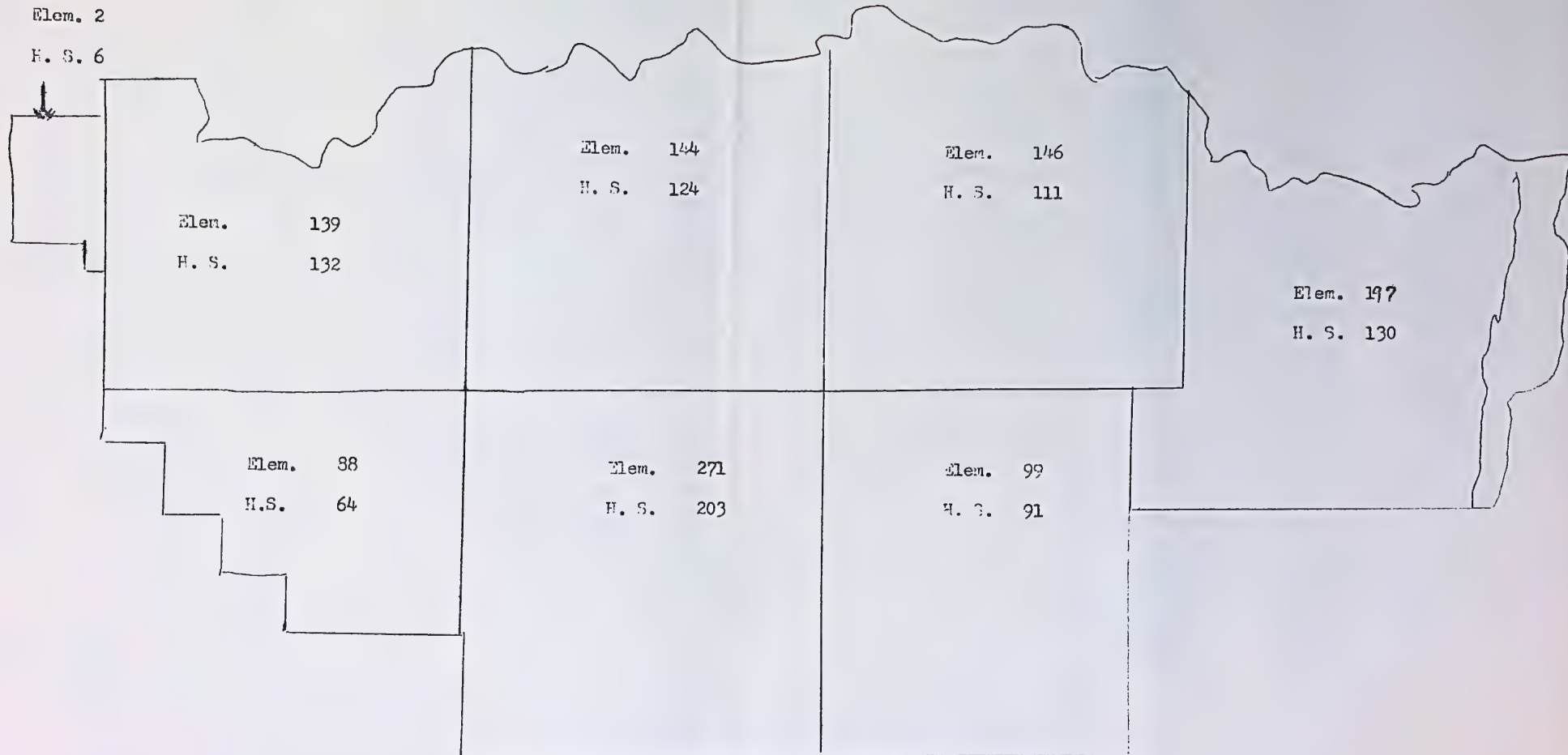
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Location of Students by Township

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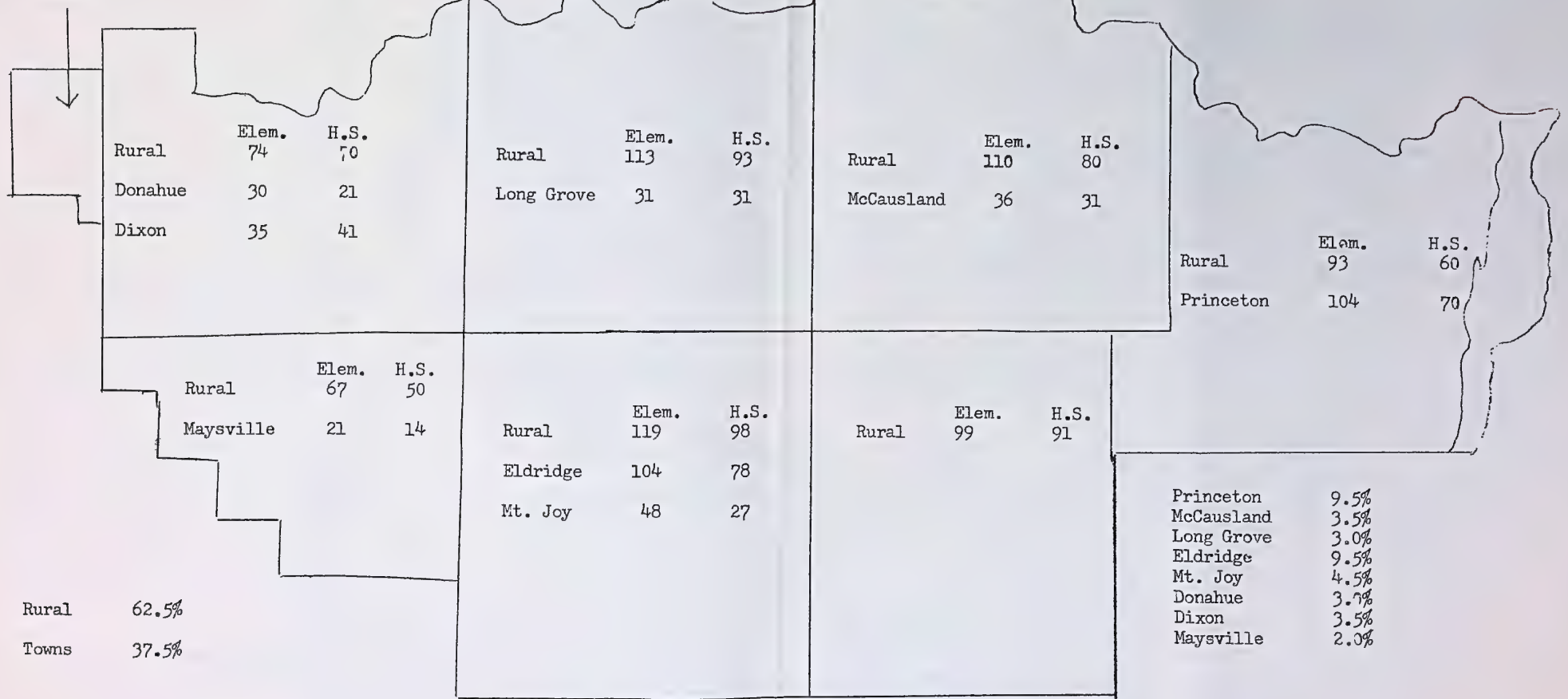
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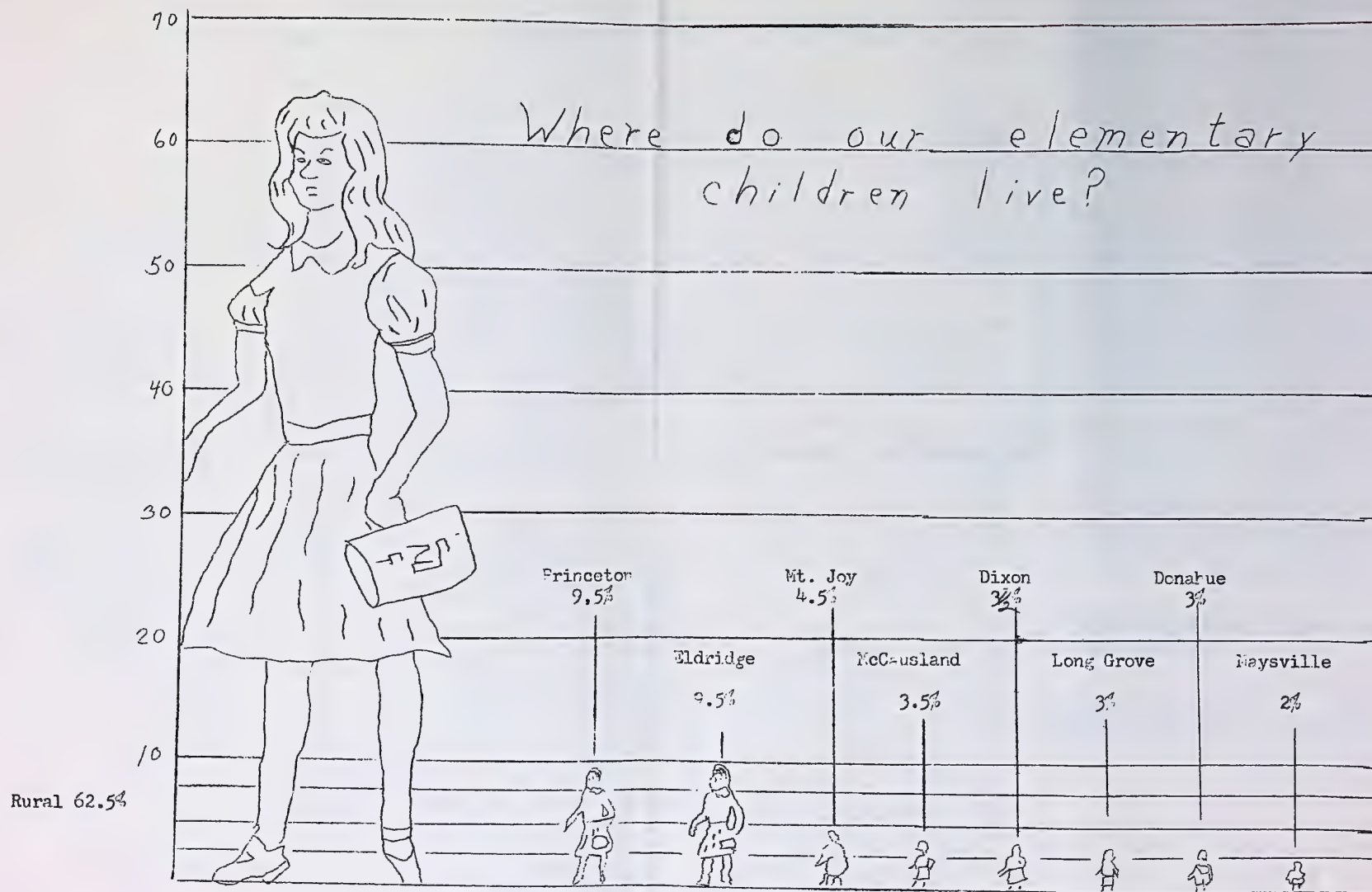
LOCATION OF STUDENTS BY TOWNSHIP

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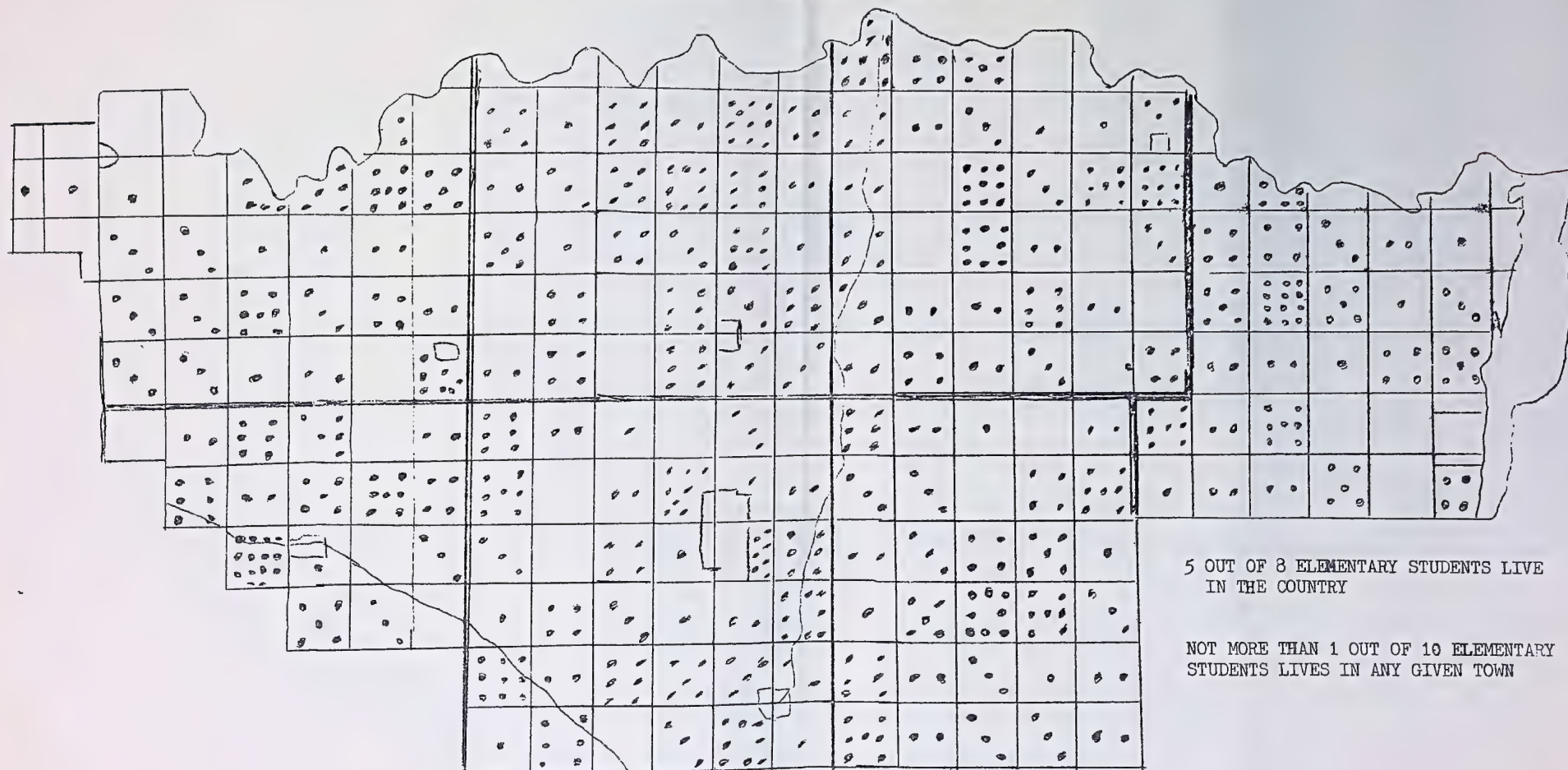
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Where do our elementary
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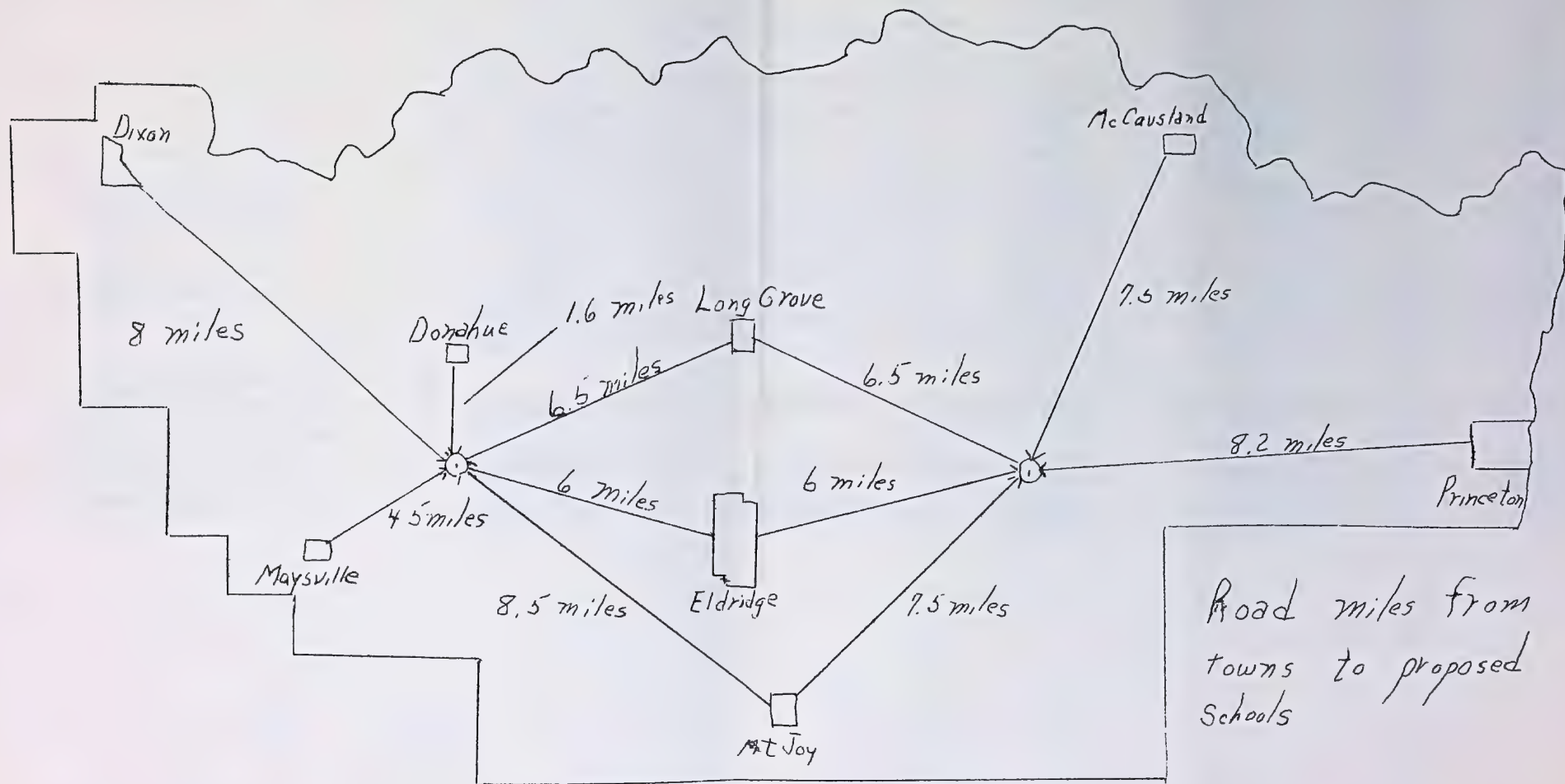


LOCATION OF ELEMENTARY STUDENTS BY SECTION



LOCATION OF STUDENTS





COST OF CONSTRUCTION—TWO SCHOOLS

	19 Classrooms Library	20 Classrooms Library	17 Classrooms 2 Kdgn. Library	18 Classrooms 2 Kdgn. Library	20 Classrooms 2 Kdgn. Library
Basic Building @ \$11.75	\$599,000.00	\$617,000.00	\$624,000.00	\$643,000.00	\$685,000.00
Architectural Fee	30,750.00	30,750.00	30,750.00	30,750.00	30,750.00
Water	15,200.00	15,200.00	15,200.00	15,200.00	15,200.00
Survey	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Soil Investigation	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Sewage System	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
Site	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
TOTAL	\$697,750.00	\$715,750.00	\$722,750.00	\$741,750.00	\$783,750.00
Omit Floor Tile and Painting @ \$.25/sq. ft.	14,500.00	14,500.00	14,500.00	14,500.00	14,500.00
	\$683,250.00	\$701,250.00	\$708,250.00	\$727,250.00	\$769,250.00
Deduct Cost of Sites raised by 1 mill site levy	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
	\$663,250.00	\$681,250.00	\$688,250.00	\$707,250.00	\$749,250.00
Bonding Capacity	615,000.00	615,000.00	615,000.00	615,000.00	615,000.00
	\$ 48,250.00	\$ 66,250.00	\$ 73,250.00	\$ 92,250.00	\$134,250.00

BOOK COVERS: SEPTEMBER 1963 TO 1964

TYPE OF SCHOOL: ELEMENTARY -- ONE-5 ROOM SCHOOL
EIGHT-1 ROOM SCHOOLS

THIRTEEN TEACHERS

THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY EIGHT PUPILS

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEEN P. T. A. MEMBERSHIPS

PUBLICITY FACILITIES--THE DE WITT OBSERVER
THE DAVENPORT TIMES AND DEMOCRAT
THE LANCE - NORTH SCOTT SCHOOL PAPER

BUDGET 1963-1964
AREA #3 P.T.A.

EXPENDITURES:

SECRETARY AND TREASURER EXPENSE-----	\$ 5.00
PROGRAM COMMITTEE-----	25.00
HOAPITALITY-----	15.00
COUNCIL DUES-----	10.00
DISTRICT COURTSEY FUND-----	1.00
SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT (FOR TEACHERS)-----	150.00
ROOM REPRESENTATIVES-----	10.00
DELEGATE EXPENSES-----	100.00
SIXTH GRADE PROMOTION-----	75.00
HISTORIANS EXPENSE-----	10.00
STUDENT LOAN-----	10.00
PUBLICATIONS-----	30.00
MEMBERSHIP (PICTURE)-----	25.00
PARENT EDUCATION-----	10.00
ANTICIPATED STATE P. T. A. DUES-----	45.00
MISCELLANEOUS-----	15.00
TOTAL-----	\$536.00

RECEIPTS

CASH ON HAND-----	\$116.21
ANTICIPATED DUES-----	70.00
FINANCIAL PROJECT-----	349.79
TOTAL-----	\$536.00

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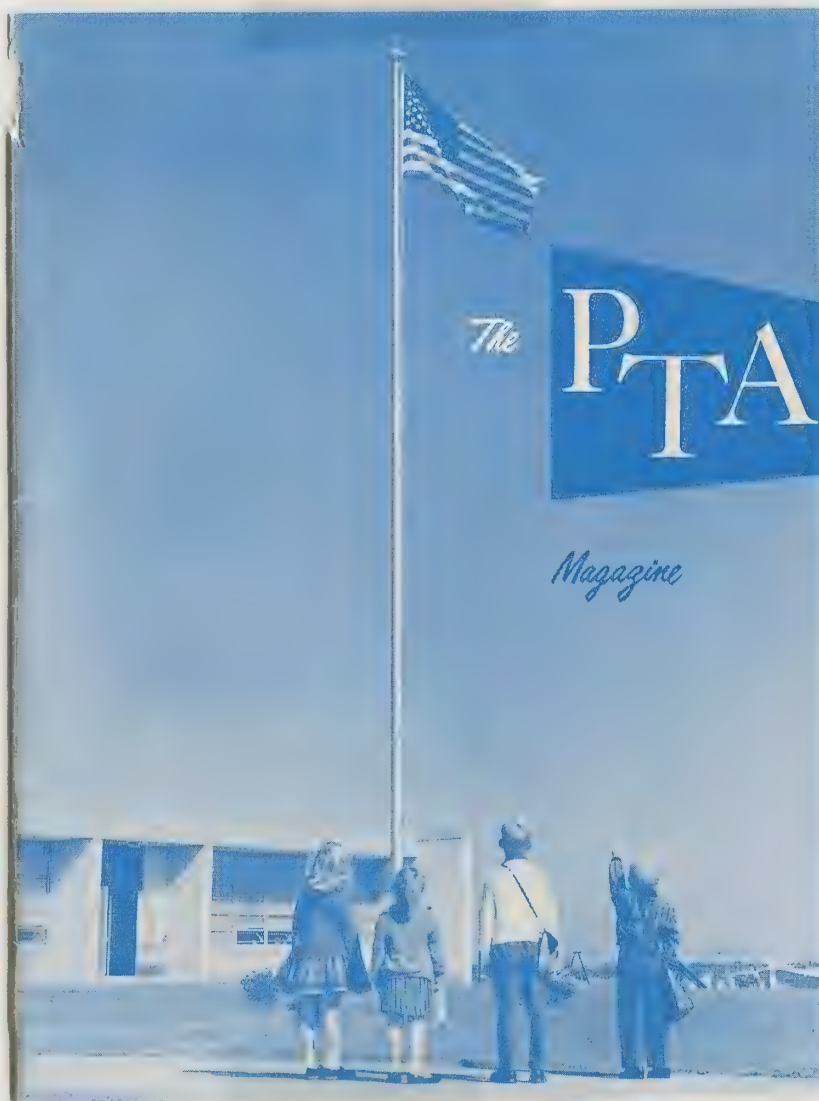
THE 1963-1964 P.T.A. OFFICERS OF NORTH SCOTT AREA # 3



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SEATED LEFT TO RIGHT IN FRONT ROW

PRESIDENT-----	MRS. HARVEY CLAUSSEN
VICE PRESIDENT-----	MRS. RONALD BOWMAN
TREASURER-----	MRS. JOHN CARLIN
SECRETARY-----	MRS. DANA DANFORTH



Program - Area #3 P.T.A.

All P.T.A. Meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of every month at 8:00 p.m. in the North Scott High School Cafeteria.

September 17

Bill Gress - Children and T.V.

October 15

"Each Must Reach!

What Do They Teach?"

Panel - narrated by Mr. Cassidy

November 19

"Black or White,

Both Are Right."

Segregation and its problems will be presented to us by a very fine citizen who has been told many a time, "Sorry, but we do not rent to colored people."

December - No meeting

January 21

Modern Trends in Education

A panel of parents and teachers will discuss our curriculum and all the new subjects that are being taught.

February 18

"Are Our Children Over-organized?" Mr. Cassidy

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1963-64 AREA #3
MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN-----MRS. HENRY ARP

THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE OF OUR AREA #3 P. T. A. CHOSE THE PICTURE "YELLOW BIRD" AS AN ATTENDANCE AWARD FOR OUR MONTHLY P. T. A. MEETINGS. WE FELT THIS PICTURE WOULD APPEAL TO CHILDREN AS IT CONTAINED A CHILD AND A YELLOW BIRD IN A CAGE.

IN ORDER TO WIN THIS ATTENDANCE AWARD, EACH PARENT, AS THEY ENTER THE MEETING, REGISTERS THEIR NAME ON EACH OF THEIR CHILDREN'S CLASS SHEETS AT THE MEMBERSHIP TABLE. THE CLASSROOM THAT HAS THE GREATEST PERCENTAGE OF PARENTS IN ATTENDANCE RECEIVES THE PICTURE FOR ONE MONTH. AT THE END OF THE YEAR THE YEAR THE ROOM THAT HAS HAD THE PICTURE THE MOST TIMES DURING THE YEAR RECEIVES IT AS A PERMANENT POSSESSION FOR THEIR CLASSROOM.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED
BY MRS. HENRY ARP
1963-64 MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN
MRS. RUTH VOLLBEER, CO-CHAIRMAN



ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1963-1964 AREA #3
HOSPITALITY CHAIRMAN-----MRS. CHRIS BLAKE

DURING THE PAST YEAR ONE OF OUR MAIN OBJECTIVES WAS TO GET OUR PARENTS AND TEACHERS BETTER ACQUAINTED BY HAVING MIXERS DURING THE SOCIAL HOUR AFTER OUR P. T. A. MEETINGS. THIS WAY OUR NEWCOMERS ALSO FELT MORE AT EASE BY JOINING IN WITH THE OLD MEMBERS.

FOR OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING WE MADE SMALL CORSAGES FROM FLOWERS OUT OF OUR GARDENS FOR ALL THE TEACHERS AND OUR ELEMENTARY DIRECTOR. THIS YEAR WE ALSO HAD TWO P. T. A. MEMBERS GREET THE PARENTS AND TEACHERS AT THE DOOR AND DIRECT THE NEWCOMERS TO OUR MEETING PLACE AND ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS THAT WERE ASKED.

EACH MONTH WE SELECT SEVERAL PARENTS FROM ONE GRADE TO SERVE ON THE REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE AND THE CHILDREN IN THIS CERTAIN CLASS MAKE THE NAME TAGS FOR THE P. T. A. MEETING. THEY MAKE TWO KINDS, ONE FOR THE PARENTS AND A DIFFERENT KIND FOR THE TEACHERS. THE NAME TAGS EITHER REPRESENTED THE SEASONS OF THE YEAR, HOLIDAYS, OR COINCIDED WITH OUR PROGRAM.

AT OUR MAY MEETING, TO SHOW OUR APPRECIATION TO THE TEACHERS WE GAVE THEM EACH A HANDKERCHIEF. WE GAVE A BOX OF CANDY TO THE OFFICE GIRLS WHO HELPED US WHENEVER WE NEEDED THEM.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
BY MRS. CHRIS BLAKE
1963-64 HOSPITALITY CHAIRMAN
MRS. GEORGE BRADEN, CO-CHAIRMAN



Continuous Health Supervision Program

Summer Round-Up Certificate

This certifies that NORTH SCOTT AREA #3

Parent-Teacher Association of _____, Iowa,
has completed the requirements of the Summer Round-Up of the
Children, one of the series of health appraisals included in the
Continuous Health Supervision Program of the Iowa Congress of
Parents and Teachers.

1963

Date

Miss Robert Cook

State President

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1963-1964 FROM AREA # 3
HEALTH CHAIRMAN-----MRS. ELMER KLEVER, JR.

THE ANNUAL SPRING KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP WAS HELD ON MARCH 11, 1964 AT FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH IN ELDRIDGE. MR. CASSIDY AND MISS KUBE EACH GAVE A SHORT SPEECH. A FILM "JOURNEY IN HEALTH" WAS SHOWN BY THE COUNTY NURSES, MARIE CARMODY AND MARY SINNOTT.

WHILE THE MOTHERS REGISTERED THEIR CHILD, MISS KUBE PLAYED A GAME WITH THE CHILDREN.

COOKIES AND MILK WERE SERVED AND EACH CHILD RECEIVED A PENCIL AND BALLOON.

THERE WERE 67 CHILDREN REGISTERED.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED
BY MRS. ELMER KLEVER, JR.
HEALTH CHAIRMAN
MRS. JESS BROTHERTON, CO-CHAIRMAN

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1963-1964 AREA # 3
MAGAZINE CHAIRMAN-----MRS. WILLIAM BLANCHE

THE MEMBERS OF THE AREA #3 P. T. A. RECEIVED "THE HONOR ROLL SCROLL" FOR SELLING 10 OR MORE P. T. A. MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS. THEY ALSO WERE AWARDED A CERTIFICATE TO THE 25 OR MORE CLUB. THE TOTAL SOLD WAS THIRTY-TWO WITH TWO STATE BULLETIN SUBSCRIPTIONS. THE BONUS SUBSCRIPTION WAS SENT TO THE OFFICE OF DR. RALPH LAGONI, ELDRIDGE, IOWA, WHERE WE FELT MANY PARENTS WOULD HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO VIEW THE MAGAZINE.

A NEW PROJECT FOR THE YEAR WAS THE PURCHASE OF VARIOUS BULLETINS AND PUBLICATIONS OF INFORMATION HELPFUL TO PARENTS AND OFFICERS OF THE P. T. A. THESE BULLETINS COULD BE BORROWED OR PURCHASED FOR THEIR COST. A PEG BOARD FOR THIS DISPLAY WAS MADE BY MR. HARVEY CLAUSSEN.

IT HAS BEEN A PLEASURE SERVING AS PUBLICATIONS CHAIRMAN AND I HOPE THERE WILL BE A CONTINUING INTEREST IN THE MAGAZINE AS SHOWN THIS YEAR.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED
BY MRS. WILLIAM BLANCHE
PUBLICATIONS CHAIRMAN

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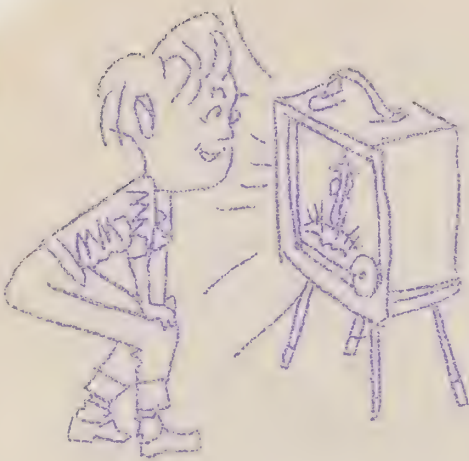
THIS CERTIFIES THAT THE NORTH SCOTT #3 PTA

has secured twenty-five or more subscribers to the official magazine of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers and is therefore entitled to membership in *THE PTA MAGAZINE* 25-OR-MORE CLUB. I congratulate your association for having achieved membership in this club.

Betty King

MRS. JAMES KING, National Chairman
The PTA Magazine





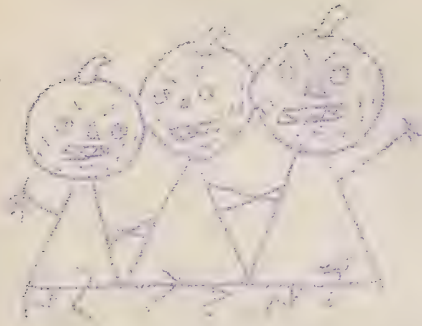
Area III P.T.A.

The Area III P.T.A. will begin the 1963 - 1964 school year with a well known personality. On September 17, at 8:00 p.m., in the North Scott High School Cafeteria, Mr. Bill Gress of WOC Radio-T.V. will speak on -- "Is T.V. Harmful To Our Children?"

Now is a good time to start the school year off right by joining P.T.A. We hope to see you there.

Executive Board will meet at 7:00 p.m. prior to regular meeting.





AMERICAN LEGAL

OCTOBER 18, 1963

8:00 P.M.

NORTH HAVEN HIGH SCHOOL CATERPILLAR

PROGRAM

"Each Must Reach!

What Do They Teach!"

Panel narrated by Mr. Cassidy

Executive Board Meeting 8:00 P.M.
Room 15 - Student Meeting

Parent Education Meeting
October 22, 1963
Home Economics Lounge

THE TOPIC OF DISCUSSION FOR THE OCTOBER MEETING WAS
"WHAT PLACE PHYSICAL EDUCATION HAS IN OUR ELEMENTARY
TEACHING PROGRAM."
THE SPEAKER FOR THE EVENING WAS THE ELEMENTARY SUPERVISOR
MR. JOSEPH CASSIDY.

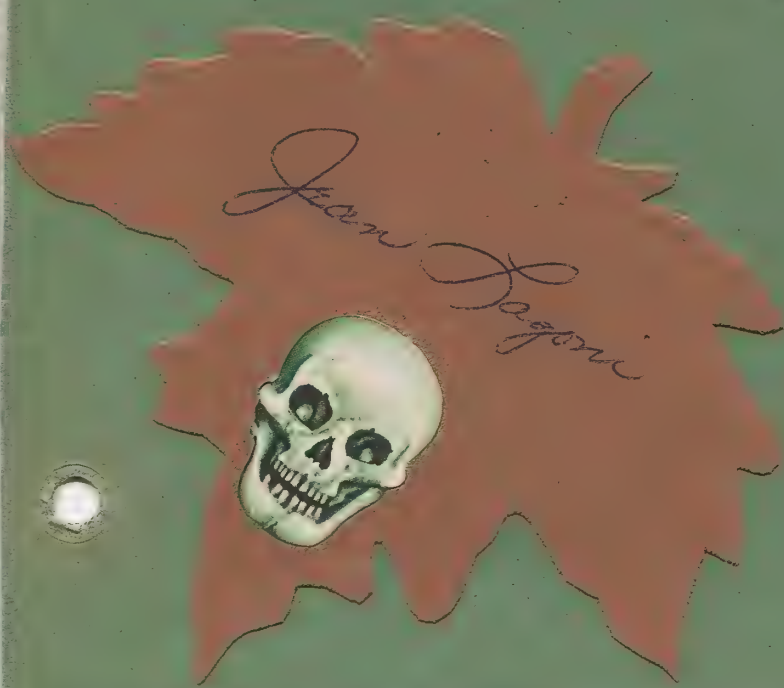


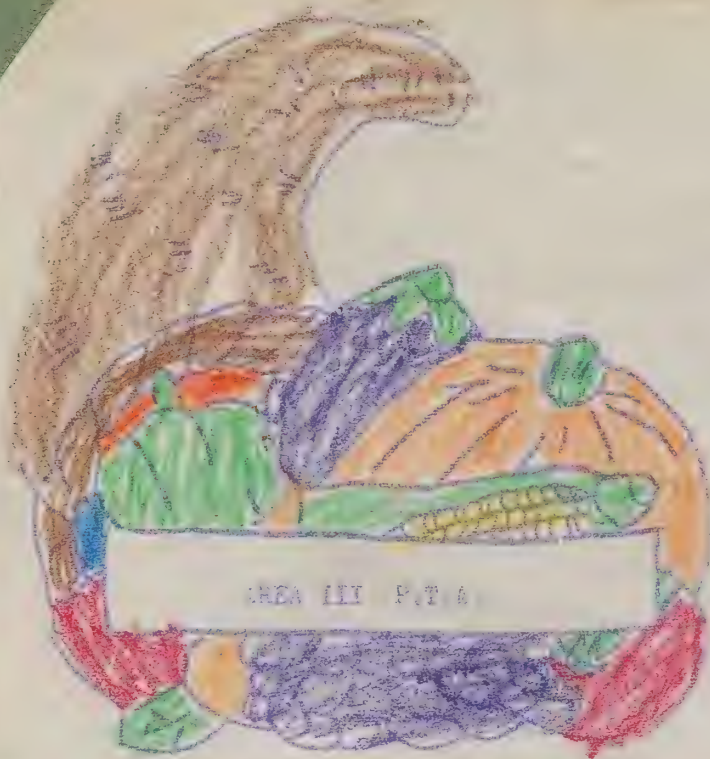
THE SEPTEMBER MEETING WAS IN THE FORM OF A "WELCOME"
TO ALL TEACHERS AND PARENTS.

OUR GUEST SPEAKER WAS MR. BILL GRESS, A COMMENTATOR FOR
RADIO AND TELEVISION STATION W O C IN DAVENPORT, IOWA
HIS TOPIC WAS "CHILDREN AND T V."



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The Area III P.T.A. will be held November 19 at 8:00 p.m. in the North Scott Cafeteria. Guest speaker will be Rev. Martin Mottet and friend. This should prove to be an interesting discussion on segregation. Plan to attend.

Executive Meeting - 7:00 p.m. prior to regular meeting.

Parent Education - November 26, 1963 7:30 p.m. Home Ec. Room

Topic: "What Makes Children Want to Learn"

PTA Reports 116 Members

ELDRIDGE — North Scott District Area 3 PTA met Tuesday evening, Nov. 19 in the cafeteria of North Scott Community Junior-Senior High School. Membership committee announced that there are presently 116 members.

Mrs. Ronald Bowman introduced Rev. Marvin Mottet who introduced the guest speaker, Frank Smith. Mr. Smith gave a most interesting talk on "Black or White. Both Are Right," dealing with the racial problem.

There will be no meeting of Area 3 PTA in December.

Parents of Miss Evelyn Marolf's fifth grade were hosts. Serving were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kreiter and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Claussen, co-chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baustian, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dittmer, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ernst, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Friml, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Freund, Mr. and Mrs. Arlyss Zabel and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Heiler.

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DeWitt, Clinton Co., Iowa
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"Fall Festival" Planned Nov. 6 For North Scott

ELDRIDGE — North Scott Area 3 PTA met Tuesday evening, Oct. 15 in the cafeteria of North Scott Community Junior-Senior High School.

Plans were completed for a Fall Festival to be held at the school on Nov. 6, with a supper of Sloppy Joes, hot dogs, potato chips, cole slaw, baked beans, pie, milk and coffee to be served from 5:30 to 8 p. m. Other features of the festival will be a country store, game booth, fish pond and an auction. Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts are assisting in the drive to solicit articles for the country store, also the White Elephant auction. Adult supper tickets will be 75c, with 50c for elementary students.

A panel discussion, moderated by Joseph Cassidy was held on the subject, "Each Must Reach — What Do They Teach?" Panelists included Mrs. Delma Steffen, Miss Evelyn Marolf and Leland Hurley.

Discussion centered on physical education.

A nominating committee was named: Mrs. William Blanche, Mrs. Merle Hulke and Mrs. Don Lemke.



It's almost time
for Area #3 P. T. A.'S

FALL FESTIVAL

WED., NOV. 6TH

5:30 - 8:00

Fun, Food, Games

Prizes, Attic

Shop, Etc.

Fall Festival Well Patronized At North Scott

ELDRIDGE — Mrs. Harvey Claussen, president of Area 3 PTA, expresses her thanks and appreciation to the public for their fine support of the organization's "Fall Festival" held at North Scott Community Junior-Senior High School on Nov. 6, also to the local Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts who did so much to help with the venture. An estima-

ted 550 to 600 were served supper. Food committee included Mrs. Roy Keppy and Mrs. Walter Schneckloth, co-chairmen, Mrs. Marvin Schaefer, Mrs. Lester Matzen, Mrs. Eldon Krambeck, Mrs. Norman Mohr, Mrs. Charlie Keppy and Mrs. Walter Dengler Jr.

Various booths were well patronized, including the cake walk, dart tossing, make-up, finger printing, fish pond, sketching, also a Country Store. Committees for the booths were headed by Mrs. Bill Keppy, Mrs. Wesley Rock, Mrs. Jack Lensch, Mrs. Elmer Klever Jr., Mrs. Sam Downs, Mrs. Arno Schaff, Mrs. Dale Boege and Mrs. Sam Priester. All of the excellent poster work was done by Mrs. Fred Gertz. At the close of the evening all left over items were auctioned off by Ronald Bowman.

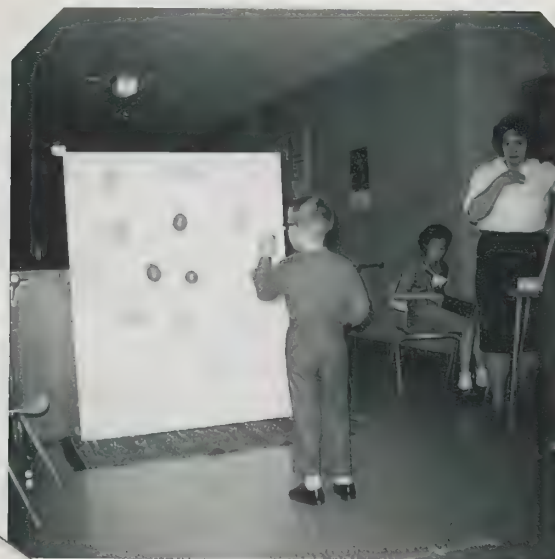
Mrs. Alvin Misfeldt won 3 lbs. ground pork for guessing the weight of a pig; half gallons of ice cream were won by LeRoy Doyle and Arlyss Zabel and a flashlight was won by Dick Snider. Door prizes of 2 lbs. ground pork, set of glasses, child's game and three stuffed tops were also awarded.



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AREA III P.T.A.

January 21, 1964

8:00 p.m.



The Area III P.T.A. will hold their monthly meeting January 21, 8:00 p.m., at North Scott High School Cafeteria. Mr. Cassidy and a panel of teachers will discuss, "Our New Reading, Arithmetic, and Science."

PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND THIS MEETING.



Executive Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
prior to regular meeting.

Refreshments will be served

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DeWitt, Clinton Co., Iowa
Thurs., January 30, 1964

Area Three PTA Holds Meeting

ELDRIDGE — Area 3 PTA met Tuesday evening, Jan. 21 in the cafeteria of North Scott Community Junior-Senior High School with the business meeting being conducted by the president, Mrs. Eugene Rochau.

On the program was a discussion on "Modern Trends in Education" by Leland Hurley, Mrs. Mae Sprosty and Mrs. Dorothy Steffen, stressing new methods of teaching the three R's.

Mrs. Henry L. Arp reported that the membership now totals 117. Hospitality committee were parents of Mrs. Machamer's third grade students.

Mental Health will be the topic of the next area 3 PTA meeting on Feb. 18. Mrs. Machamer's room won the traveling picture prize for having the largest percentage of parents attending the meeting.



Report Card
Parent:

Grade Book

Teacher:

Mrs. Pancratz



Mrs. James Spencer, teacher of pre-school for the
will show slides and give a speech on
the importance of the child's environment.

Executive Meeting - 7:00

regular meeting

Parent Education Meeting - February 25 - 7:30 p.m.
Home Ec Lounge

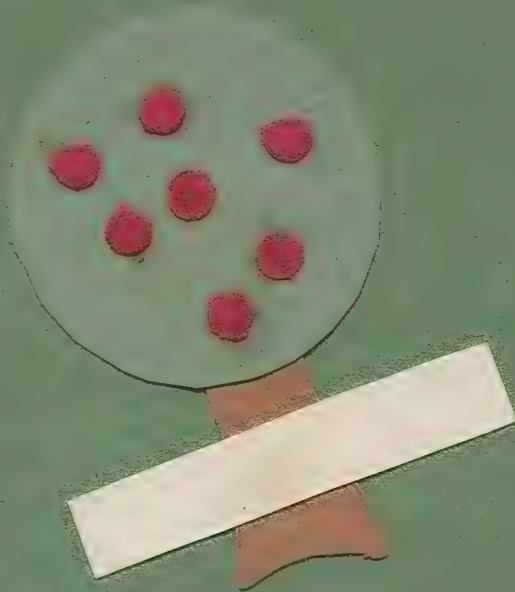
Retarded Child Subject Of Talk For Area 3 PTA

ELDRIDGE — North Scott School District Area 3 PTA met Tuesday evening, Feb. 18 in the Junior-senior high school cafeteria, with Mrs. Harvey Claussen presiding.

Area 3 PTA will purchase 36 cups for the high school cafeteria. Announcement was made of the kindergarten round-up to be held in March, the date to be announced at a future time.

Mrs. Jane Spencer, Davenport, a teacher of pre-school retarded children showed slides and gave a talk on the retarded child. Mrs. Delma Steffen's third grade parents were hospitality committee. Her room also received the traveling picture for having the highest percentage of parents present at the meeting.

Next meeting will be on March 17. Speaker will be Rich Shine who will speak on speech difficulties.





The regular meeting of
the IYFA will be held on
March 17th at 10:00 in an assigned
room at the IYFA. Guest
members will be invited.
The IYFA is the sponsor of the
at lunch time. If you have any
questions about your child's speech,
you can come to see them answered.

Guest Meeting - prior to regular meeting. 10:00 am

Guest Meeting Meeting - Tuesday, March 17, 10:00 am
Invited to be employed later

On a special day, feeling it was needed to go ahead and not a
small number of people as was discussed at the regular meeting. The
meeting was held for the children.

The meeting was held to express our thanks to all the people
who have helped us in the past. It was a very successful one.

March 17, 1971

Speech Therapist Speaks At Area 3 P. T. A. Meeting

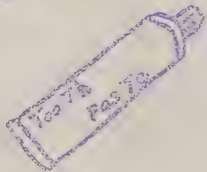
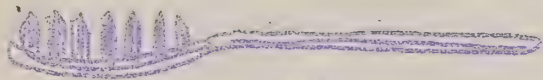
ELDRIDGE — North Scott School District Area 3 PTA met Tuesday evening, March 17 in the junior-senior high school cafeteria. Mrs. Harvey Claussen presided over the meeting. Rich Shine, Scott County speech therapist spoke on speech difficulties.

A report was given on the Spring Round-up held in Fellowship Hall of Faith Evangelical Lutheran church on March 11. 65 children were registered for kindergarten next fall. Joseph Cassidy, North Scott Director of Elementary Education, Joseph Frielinger, hearing clinician with the Scott County Special Education Dept. and county nurses, Mrs. Marie Carmody and Miss Mary Agnes Sinnott were present to talk to the parents. Refreshments were served by members of the executive board.

A movie projector was purchased from funds received from the Fall Festival and will be used by all area schools. Mrs. Machamer's third grade won the traveling prize with the greatest percentage of parents attending the meeting. Announcement was made of Parent Education to be on March 31. Speaker will be Melvin Heiler, North Scott School District Superintendent.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Eleanore Kroeger's and Mrs. Frances McGrath's second grade hospitality committee.





Area III P.T.A.

The regular meeting of Area III P.T.A. will be
April 21, 8:00 p.m. at the North Scott Cafeteria.

Guest speaker will be Dr. Richard Collins. He will
speak on your child's dental care. This will be the
last speaker for the season. Plan to attend.

REFRESHMENTS

Executive Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Prior to regular meeting

Parent Education Meeting - April 28 - 7:30 p.m.
Home Ec Lounge



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IN AREA NO. I, THE MEETING DATE FOR THE PTA WAS CHANGED FROM APRIL 15
TO APRIL 22nd. THIS WILL BE A COMMUNITY MEETING, EXPLAINING THE BOND
ISSUE, AND WILL BE HELD AT THE PRINCETON SCHOOL * 8:00 p.m.

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DeWitt, Clinton Co., Iowa

Thurs., April 30, 1964

North Scott District Area 3 PTA met Tuesday evening, April 21 in the North Scott Community Junior-Senior High School cafeteria, with approximately 40 present.

Nominees for PTA officers were announced by the nominating committee as follows: president, Mrs. Chris Blake; vice president, Mrs. Dana Danforth; secretary, Mrs. Wayne Jugenheimer,

and treasurer, Mrs. Wayne Higby. They were elected and will be installed at the May meeting.

Announcements were made concerning the fifteenth annual School Public Relations Workshop to be held at the State College of Iowa, Cedar Falls on June 21 and 22, also of Spring Conference to be held on May 6 at Oskaloosa.

Dr. Richard J. Collins spoke on dental health.

Raymond Porter, a member of the North Scott District School Board, spoke on the upcoming \$615,000 school bond issue which will be voted on on May 1.

Mrs. Dorothy Steffen's sixth grade room received the traveling prize for having the larger percentage of parents attending the meeting.

Refreshments were served by parents of Miss Kube's kindergarten pupils.

Last PTA meeting of the school term will be held on May 19.

Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers

Contribution Certificate

Presented to

NORTH SCOTT AREA #3 PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

In Recognition of a Contribution in the Amount of \$10.00

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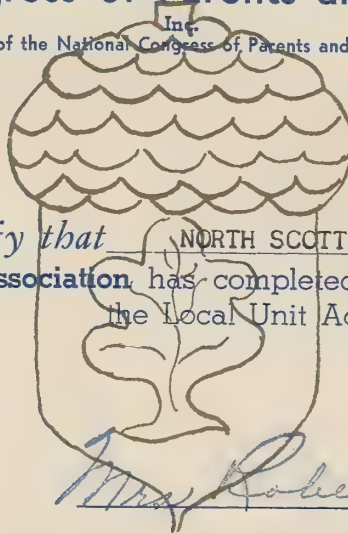
Student Loan Fund

President Mrs. James A. Newsome

Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers

Branch of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers

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Award

This is to certify that NORTH SCOTT AREA #3
Parent-Teacher Association has completed and returned by
May 1, 19 64 the Local Unit Achievement Report.

Mrs. Robert Crook

State President.

Annual Convention
IOWA CONGRESS
OF
PARENTS AND TEACHERS



"PTA—IN STEP WITH CHANGE"

October 24-25, 1963
HOTEL FT. DES MOINES
Des Moines, Iowa

IOWA CONGRESS OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS
ANNUAL CONVENTION

Des Moines, Iowa

OCTOBER 24-25, 1963

Convention Theme

"PTA — IN STEP WITH CHANGE"

Hotel Fort Des Moines, Convention Headquarters
All Meetings on Mezzanine Floor

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1963

9:45 a.m.
**GENERAL
MEETING I**

10:00 a.m.
**Grand
Ball Room**

REGISTRATION—7:00 a.m.

ORGAN PRELUDE—Mrs. Max Lamb

Presiding: Mrs. James A. Newsome, President

POSTING OF THE COLORS—

Color Guard, United States Navy Recruiting Service

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION

Mrs. E. J. Vanous, Character and Spiritual Education Chairman

GREETINGS

Mrs. R. O. Carlson, President, Des Moines Council of Parent-Teacher Associations

RESPONSE

Mrs. Robert Crook, First Vice-President

REPORTS

Credentials: Reverend Ernest F. Martin, Treasurer

Convention Rules: Dr. Clifford L. Bishop, College Cooperation
Chairman

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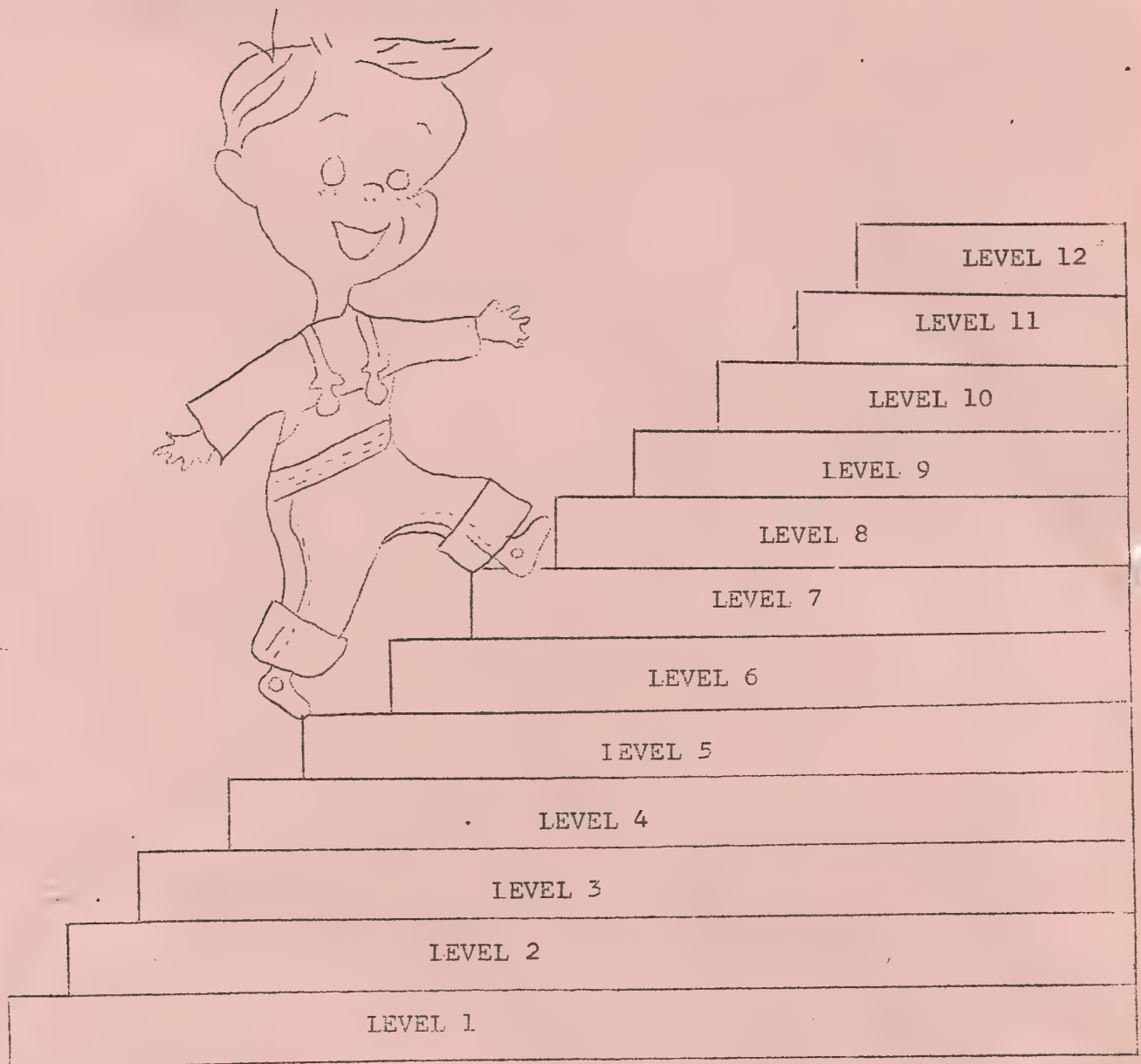
President's Report: Mrs. James A. Newsome

12:00 Noon

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THE NONGRADED PRIMARY SCHOOL



Pleasant View School

The School Township of Pleasant Valley

May 19, 1961

FOREWORD

Dear Parents:

This handbook is designed to answer some of the questions you may have concerning the Nongraded Primary School.

This plan has been under study for several years by the Administrative Staff and the Board of Education to evaluate its feasibility for our district. The program was officially adopted by the Board of Education on March 27, 1961, to be instigated during the 1961-62 school year at Pleasant View School.

During the current school year, a teacher committee has been working to further investigate the merit of such a plan. The committee work consisted of an evaluation of nongraded programs in twenty-four school districts throughout the United States, implication for a nongraded program in our district, an evaluation of materials to be used, possible teaching and grouping procedures, etc. This teacher committee also visited nongraded programs in Park Forest, Illinois, and Milwaukee, Wisconsin, as a part of their evaluation.

This program as well as any new school program needs the cooperation of the school faculty, parents, and the community to be a success. Your interest and cooperation will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,



Ed D. Fauble,
Coordinator of Elementary Education

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WHAT IS A NONGRADED PRIMARY SCHOOL?

The Nongraded Primary School is a means of recognizing individual differences in children and adjusting their school program to meet these differences. Children are allowed to progress at their own rate through a series of levels.

The Nongraded Primary School does not involve a great departure from established procedures long used by good teachers, but rather a means of promoting the philosophy of continuous growth.

WHY DID PLEASANT VALLEY TOWNSHIP ADOPT THIS PLAN?

Our district has always strived to provide the best in elementary education. Teachers have recognized that all children are different, possess different skills, and learn at different rates. In a graded system, promotion decisions are dissatisfying to teachers, parents, and students. Under the graded system framework, it is difficult many times to keep a child from repeating material and from possessing a feeling of failure at an early age. The nongraded program allows a child to progress at his individual rate.

HOW DOES IT DIFFER FROM A GRADED SCHOOL?

In the graded school, students must attain certain standards of achievement within a time limit; whereas in the Nongraded School, standards are achieved by levels without a specific time limit.

WHAT ARE THE LEVELS OF THE NONGRADED PRIMARY SCHOOL?

Our Nongraded Primary School will consist of twelve levels of instruction. Each child will start at level one and progress as far as he can in the normal three year pattern. Some children will finish all levels; some children will not. The Intermediate Multi-Level Program will take the child on from where the primary program ends. The levels are as follows:

Level 1	Reading Readiness
Level 2	Chart Reading
Level 3	Pre-Primer
Level 4	Easy Primer
Level 5	Hard Primer
Level 6	Easy First Reader
Level 7	Hard First Reader
Level 8	Easy Second Reader
Level 9	Hard Second Reader
Level 10	Easy Third Reader
Level 11	Hard Third Reader
Level 12	Transitional Reading (enrichment -- Easy Fourth Reader)

Children who are now in grades one and two will be assigned to the level at which they are now achieving.

DOES THE NONGRADED PRIMARY CONTAIN CERTAIN STANDARDS?

The nongraded system does not change the matter of meeting a standard. Each level in the new system has its own standards just as in the graded system, but instead of having only three grade levels, at which the standards are met, there are twelve levels. Each level is composed of children working well together and progressing at approximately the same rate.

HOW WELL DO CHILDREN ACHIEVE IN THE NONGRADED SCHOOL?

Studies that have been made in districts having nongraded programs show that children do better or as well on achievement tests as children in graded systems. It is difficult to test the desirable mental health effects the nongraded program has on children. It is felt that children feel much more secure under the nongraded system.

HOW WILL CHILDREN BE GROUPED FOR INSTRUCTION?

The first and immediate result of the nongraded program is the flexibility it gives in the placement of children. Children are grouped according to social maturity, emotional maturity, and reading achievement. Groups will allow children of like ability to grow to their maximum potentialities. (Cont.)

HOW WILL CHILDREN BE GRADED?

Since no two children develop at precisely the same rate, or in precisely the same manner, the school will endeavor to grade largely in terms of individual growth.

Parents will be informed of their child's progress through the two regular parent-teacher conferences and written reports.

WILL A CHILD HAVE A TEACHER FOR MORE THAN ONE YEAR?

This procedure is followed in some nongraded systems, but we do not intend for teachers to stay with their groups for more than one year. It may be, however, that some individual children may have the same teacher twice during the primary years due to the flexibility of the program.

WILL CHILDREN MOVE FROM ROOM TO ROOM DURING THE DAY OR DURING THE YEAR?

Children will not move from room to room as is done in the Multi-Level Reading and Arithmetic Programs. Children will be assigned to teachers by groups according to their level. As they progress, some may move to another teacher during the year, but the majority will remain with one teacher for the entire year.

OVERALL VALUES OF THE NONGRADED PRIMARY SCHOOL

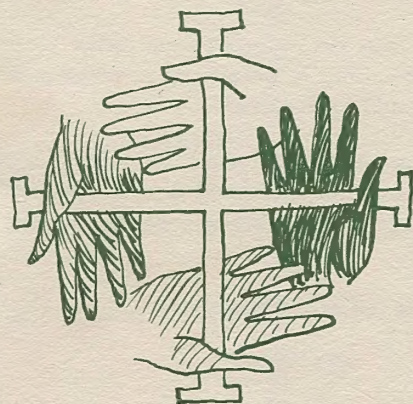
1. The Primary School provides a unit of time that is adjustable to the lags and spurts normally accompanying the development of a child.
2. The Primary School is organized to permit children of approximately the same chronological and social age to remain together while progressing at different academic rates suited to individual capacities.
3. It provides the child with a three-year block of uninterrupted time, as against three graded segments, to learn to read, as rapidly as he can or as slowly as he needs to.
4. It assures the child knowing well the concepts and understandings of one level of reading before being permitted or forced to go to the next level.
5. The child is not met with failure, which has been proved by research to have a negative effect on children learning to read. In Primary School a child is constantly succeeding...at the rate of which he is capable, not at the rate set by a calendar or artificial limit called a "grade". Success is very important to the learner.
6. When the year ends, a child in Primary School is neither promoted nor failed. In September he moves on from the stage of learning and development reached in June.
7. The child who needs more time to learn to read is not pressured to keep up with those who move faster. Conversely, the child who is learning rapidly is not made to wait for those who move more slowly.
8. Primary School narrows the range of stages of development of children. In other words, children who need longer readiness development are grouped with one teacher who can thus more completely build her program for those children.

9. Primary School recognizes no barriers as to "grade level" of any book or material. For example, those children in the first year of Primary School who learn rapidly may well move right into "second grade" material that first year.
10. Primary School frees the teacher from pressures (which are passed on to the children) of meeting artificial end-of-grade achievement levels or scores, or getting every child to a certain (same) place in a reading program. It also frees her from declaring which children can go on and which children need to fail.
11. A few children may be able to go through the three-year block in two years. An advantage here over "skipping" him in the graded plan is that he will not skip anything; he will take every step, though faster. Almost all children will complete the block in three years. A few will need four, though they will have no feeling of retention or failure.
12. The Primary School plan bridges the gap between grades 2 and 3, an educational chasm that has long existed in our schools. Through the Primary School, the child moves smoothly from "2nd" grade material to "3rd" grade material and into the textbook world of grade three...into that more formal and different area...with little disturbance.
13. If a long absence is necessary the flexibility of the plan enables the children to continue their work from where they were before being absent.
14. Primary School promotes good work habits by helping children do challenging tasks within the range of their individual abilities.

HOW CAN PARENTS HELP IN MAKING THIS PROGRAM A SUCCESS?

1. Become familiar with the nongraded system.
2. Show interest in your child's work.
3. Use "praise and prod" wisely.
4. Drop use of term "grade", use "level" instead.
5. Recognize in practice instead of theory that different children mature at different rates.
6. Visit your child's classroom for more than a few minutes.
7. Avoid unwise comparisons:
 - a. Among children from the same family
 - b. Among children in the neighborhood
 - c. Among children in the schoolroom
8. Discuss your child openly and frankly with his school teacher and no one else.
9. Ask any question about this program you wish. We will try to answer you.

Catholic Interracial Council of Davenport



"... racial discrimination can in no way be justified . . . Thus, he who possesses certain rights has likewise the duty to claim those rights as marks of his dignity, while all others have the obligation to acknowledge those rights and respect them."

POPE JOHN XXIII

MRS. HARVEY
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ON RACIAL HARMONY

Joint Pastoral Letter of the Bishops of the United States—1963



N EARLY five years ago, we the Catholic bishops of the United States proclaimed with one voice our moral judgment on racial discrimination and segregation. This judgment of November, 1958, simply reaffirmed the Catholic position already made explicit in a much earlier statement in 1943. In the present crisis, we wish to repeat those moral principles and to offer some pastoral suggestions for a Catholic approach to racial harmony.

We insist that "the heart of the race question is moral and religious. It concerns the rights of man and our attitude toward our fellow man. . . . Discrimination based on the accidental fact of race or color, and as such injurious to human rights, regardless of personal qualities or achievements, cannot be reconciled with the truth that God has created all men with equal rights and equal dignity."

We reaffirm that segregation implies that people of one race are not fit to associate with another "by sole fact of race and regardless of individual qualities. . . . We cannot reconcile such a judgment with the Christian view of man's nature and rights." These principles apply to all forms of discrimination and segregation based on prejudice. In our immediate and urgent concern for the rights of Negroes, we do not overlook the disabilities visited upon other racial and national groups.

IT is our strict duty in conscience to respect the basic human rights of every person. Our beloved Pontiff of blessed memory, Pope John XXIII, stated this fact in his encyclical *Peace on Earth*. He proclaimed that, "in human society, to one man's right there corresponds a duty in other persons: the duty, namely, of acknowledging and respecting the right in question." He not only condemned racial discrimination but asserted that "he who possesses certain rights has likewise the duty to claim these rights as marks of his dignity."

Respect for personal rights is not only a matter of individual moral duty; it is also a matter for civic action. Pope John stated: "The chief concern of civil authorities must

. . . be to insure that these rights are acknowledged, respected, co-ordinated with other rights, defended and promoted, so that in this way each one may more easily carry out his duties."

We know that public authority is obliged to help correct the evils of unjust discrimination practiced against any group or class. We also recognize that every minority group in America seeking its lawful rights has the obligation of respecting the lawful rights of others. On this point, Pope John wrote:

"Since men are social by nature they are meant to live with others and to work for one another's welfare. A well-ordered human society requires that men recognize and observe their mutual rights and duties. It also demands that each contribute generously to the establishment of a civic order in which rights and duties are ever more sincerely and effectively acknowledged and fulfilled."

These truths being understood, no Catholic with a good Christian conscience can fail to recognize the rights of all citizens to vote. Moreover, we must provide for all, equal opportunity for employment, full participation in our public and private educational facilities, proper housing, and adequate welfare assistance when needed.

BUT more than justice is involved. There is also the divine command: "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." Our present Holy Father, Pope Paul VI, at the beginning of his pontificate, reminds us that "Revelation teaches us to love all men, whatever their condition, for they have all been redeemed by the same Savior; and it obliges us to offer to those who have least, the means of arriving in dignity at a more human life."

It is clear that the racial question confronts the conscience of every man, no matter what his degree of direct or indirect involvement. Indeed, the conscience of the nation is on trial. The most crucial test of love of God is love of neighbor. In the words of the beloved Apostle: "If anyone says 'I love God' and hates his brother, he is a liar. For how can he who does not love his brother, whom he sees, love God whom he does not see?"